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Three Hills.

Out on the rocky hill we stood
That overlooks the bay,
And we gazed on the fields and the green, green wood,
And the islands far away,
And often our face to the east we turned
Where rises the orb of day.

For there on the ridge another hill
Full fair in the daylight shone;
And we spoke of kind ones watching there,
In that peaceful distant town.
Are they thinking of us as we think of them
To-night as the sun goes down?

Yet farther away beyond our gaze
Lies another and fairer hill,
And we wonder now if the sun's bright rays
Are shining upon it still,
And lighting the face of another friend,
Who watches at his will.

'Tis sweet to climb to the bright hill-side,
As the sun goes down the west,
To think of our friends across the tide,
Ere we go to our early rest,
Praying that God their walks may guide,
And their dreams at night be blest.

Legend of Frog Rock.

On the west shore of lake Temiscamingue, about ten miles north of the Hudson Bay company's post, there rises from the lake a precipice, perpendicular and abrupt, a wall of solid rock, of the Huronian formation, with a horizontal cleavage, on the face of which are to be found occasional ledges, formed by the action of the frost. Among the Indians this is known as "The Frog Rock," and the following legend will probably throw some light on the origin of the name.

I suppose that in the whole world there is not found a more omnivorous being than an Indian. I should have said "omni-carnivorous," for his is essentially a meat diet. He eats bear, beaver, lynx, fisher, fox, marten, mink, muskrat, mice, otter, porcupine, squirrel, in fact every animal that runs. One would think that he would draw the line at skunk, but no, he looks upon skunk, properly skinned and cooked, as a delicacy. However, he has his weak point; he draws the line at frogs. They seem to be with him forbidden fruit, his tastes having probably evolved the interdiction. The evolution of customs and laws is a constant contest between cause and effect.

Many years ago there lived at Matawagamingue an Indian named Kodjeesh. He was a wild, harum-scarum young fellow who did not particularly observe the laws laid down by the old men of the tribe be regarding the "modus vivendi." He was a Liberal, and had the audacity to despise the customs of his ancestors, customs sanctioned by ancient observance. He would not treat the skulls of the bears which he slew with the deference due to an animal that claimed distant relationship with himself, nor would he throw the bones of his beaves into the water, but would give them to his dogs, a sacrilegious offence and one worthy of awful punishment.

It was prophesied of this young man that evil would befall him. The Manitou would not allow the sacred injunctions put upon his people to be thus openly ignored without retribution following the offender, and the wise men shook their heads with an oracular "Kish," meaning colloquially "hold on," while the old women talked as old women do, and magnified the ill doings of the young man to such an extent that more than half the Indian maidens of the tribe were in love with him.

But Kodjeesh cared for none of these things, nor did he care for the dusky maidens who admired so much wickedness, for his heart had gone out to the lovely Bebaybickouse, who was, if possible, more lively than himself, and very hard to catch. Before her he would dance in a very taking manner, and should she happen to be dancing with him he would "swing" her with such violence that she would almost come to the ground. But even this violent courtship failed to make an impression on the obdurate Bebaybickouse. In vain did he ply the glittering paddle with a graceful flourish as he sent his swift running canoe through the foaming rapids, until, half hid by the rushing waters, he would appear to her as if riding on the back of a mighty "kenoshie" the strong swimming pike, or at times, most reckless of all, he would be seen by those who were watching him with admiration, mounting on the gunwales of his fragile craft, would he run a rapid, standing up with an air of unconcern as if he were walking on the shore. But still the hard-hearted Bebaybickouse would not listen to his suit until, driven to desperation, he one day addressed her thus:—

"Bebaybickouse, what is there that I can do to win your love?"

"You cannot win my love," she said "You have not heart enough."

"Try me," he answered, "I would dare anything; I would even eat a frog."

"Eat frogs then," answered Bebaybickouse. "You dare not."

"Kish," said Kodjeesh, and he went forth determined to eat the first frog he met.

That day he was hired to take letters to the trader in charge of Temiscamingue, which in those days was a trading post of the Northwest company. The journey is a long one, but Kodjeesh did not feel it, for his heart was light. Bebaybickouse would soon be his, and the thought made him glad. The season was far advanced and it was not until he had reached Temiscamingue lake that he saw a single frog. Here, however, as he was paddling close to the shore at the foot of the mighty rock, described above, he saw sitting on a ledge in the rock, close to the water, a fine fat, phlegmatic looking frog.

"Ah-hah," he cried, "there is the very frog that I was looking for and which I will eat to win my Bebaybickouse," saying which he cautiously approached and with his paddle sent the unsuspecting barbarian sprawling into the water. He then picked it up, and selecting the first convenient place to land, he went ashore, lit a fire, and for the first time in his life was able to appreciate the delicate flavor of frog.

"Men-o-pi-gan" (it tastes nice), he muttered to himself: "my ancestors were fools, and Bebaybickouse is not so hard to win after all."

Hardly had he thus soliloquized before he heard an awful voice, proceeding as it were from the depths of the lake, and this is what it said:—

"Thou eater of frogs, thou shalt be punished."

Kodjeesh trembled and, jumping into his canoe paddled with all his might away from the "voice." When he had reached a less forbidding section of the shore he relaxed a little, and as nothing dreadful had happened to him so far, he began to think that he might have been deceived and that the voice was nothing but the echo of the rock. By the time he had reached the post, his destination, he fairly laughed at himself for the fright he had been in, and his soul even "hankered" after frog.

As he was returning, though a trifle awed by the sombre shadows of those mighty rocks, and occasional misgivings that after all the "voice" might have been a reality, he could not help casting a glance at the ledge whereon the frog had sat. What was his astonishment at seeing the same frog, quietly sitting in the same place, with the same air of deep abstraction and apparently none the worse for having been eaten.

"How tempting he looks," thought Kodjeesh. "I have half a mind to make my dinner off him. I suppose he would taste just as good a second time. Better not though, for I have his other feet and head to show Bebaybickouse."

Instinctively he glanced into his tea pail, where he had placed the head and feet of the frog which he had eaten, for security, but what was his astonishment and dismay to find that they had vanished. No feet and head of frog were there.

He knew that it would be useless going back to Bebaybickouse without tangible proof of his daring; and fearing, moreover, that he would not meet with another frog during the rest of his journey home, he determined in spite of the awful warning he had received, to again eat the frog on the rock. He found no difficulty in repeating the proceedings of the day before, and it is needless to say he enjoyed the dainty meal which his love for Bebaybickouse and the frog had provided him; only this time he did not trust the head and feet to his tea pail, but for the sake of greater security he knotted them up in the corner of the handkerchief in which he carried his tea, and which, when not used for tea, was generally tied round his neck. Hardly, however, had he completed all these arrangements when again that awful voice rose from the almost unfathomable depths below him, saying:—

"Thou eater of frogs, thou shalt be punished."

Kodjeesh made his canoe fairly fly; nor did he cease paddling until he had passed "Sheep Island," a small island three miles beyond the rock. Here he paused to reflect and again persuaded himself that the echoes of the rocks had deceived him, that the "voice" was no voice, and that since frogs were so delicious he would continue to devour them as long as he could find them, so terrible a hold does this depraved appetite for frog meat take upon a man who has once given way to it. However, Kodjeesh was spared making more sacrilegious repasts; for he found no more frogs, but he arrived safely at Matawagamingue, and as soon as he had delivered his dispatches he repaired to the tent of his Bebaybickouse. She smiled at him as he entered and he thought that she never looked so beautiful. Her cheeks were fat, and her lips were nice and thick; while her eyes shone in her head like two small bright beads, one on each side of her lovely broad nose.

"She is very beautiful," thought Kodjeesh, "she is cheap at the eating of a frog."

"I have come, Bebaybickouse," he said, "and I have eaten frog."

"How do I know you have eaten frog?" she asked. "Men sometimes tell lies."

"But here are its head and feet," he answered, as he proceeded to take the handkerchief off his neck and to undo the tight knot that he had tied in the corner. "Perhaps when you see them you will believe."

"Yes," answered Bebaybickouse, and she cast down her eyes in a modest, anticipatory manner.

But what a suprise—what a strange fervor came over Kodjeesh! for on opening the knot in his handkerchief no feet and head of frog were there.

Bebaybickouse gave a short, dry laugh. "Shaysha!" she said; "you have lied to me," and she turned her back upon him for very scorn. Kodjeesh had not a word to say, but slunk out of the camp crest-fallen and dejected. From that day he became a changed man. That "happy-go-lucky" swagger which had been so fascinating to the fair sex left him, and instead he became silent and morose. Bebaybickouse noticed this, and she repented her of her hard heartedness. So she came to him one day as he sat brooding on the shore, and said:

"Kodjeesh, take me, I am yours."

A bright light came into his eyes as she spoke, but he answered:—

"No, Bebaybickouse, I will not take you until I can prove that Kodjeesh does not lie."

"You do not love me perhaps?" asked the maiden.

"Love you?" he answered. "Do you not call it love when a man will brave the anger of the Manitou; yes, even of the voice itself, for your sake? I heard it come from the deep water, and it said— But no matter, 'Kodjeesh lies.' Oh, Bebaybickouse, if I did not love you I would hate you."

And Kodjeesh turned away nor did Bebaybickouse dare again to speak to him of love, but she hovered near him, trying in an artless manner to make him forget the past, and so far she succeeded that his noisy laugh again woke the echoes of the camps, and the following spring it was arranged between them that their nuptials should take place after the return of the spring packet from Temiscamingue.

Kodjeesh, as usual, was chosen to carry the "packet," but he did not go alone; another young Indian named Manijosh, who was also a suitor for the hand of Bebaybickouse, accompanied him.

Nothing of especial interest occurred to them until they reached the "Frog Rock." Here, however, as Kodjeesh half hoped and half feared, they saw the same frog sitting upon the same ledge, with the same air of deep abstraction, and apparently none the worse for having been twice eaten.

"I must kill that frog and eat him," said Kodjeesh to his companion.

"Better not," said Manijosh. "It is unlawful to eat frogs."

But Kodjeesh would not be persuaded. He raised his paddle on high about to strike. But this time the frog quietly hopped off the ledge into the water, dived down below the surface before the blow was struck, and up from these depths again came the awful voice saying:—

"Thou eater of frogs, thou art punished." And then, with a wild cry, Kodjeesh leaped from his canoe into the water, not to sink, for he remained on the water struggling convulsively for several moments, until, under the eye of wonders, his form began to shrivel and contract, gradually assuming the shape of a frog; and he swam to the self same ledge where his victims had been; crawled upon it and sat there—no more Kodjeesh, but "Omugikee, the Frog."

As soon as Manijosh had recovered somewhat from his surprise and terror he hastened on to the fort, and there reported the awful things that he had witnessed.

The unbelieving white men doubted his veracity and pretended that he had made away with his rival for the sake of getting Bebaybickouse himself; but if he did so he did not obtain his object, for when Bebaybickouse heard the awful history of her lover's self sacrifice to love, she stole away at night and paddled to the place where her lover had disappeared and it was supposed that she had joined him there for her canoe was found floating bottom up close to the Frog Rock, where on two frogs were seen sitting close to each other, but having phlegmatic countenances and gazing at everything and every one with indifference.

And thus ends the legend of the Frog Rock. Even to this day there are some who declare that two frogs can be seen sitting on that fatal ledge watching with indifference the days go by, and that thus they will watch to eternity.—*Buffalo Express.*

Congressional Jokers.

[Washington Post.]

A member of the Congressional party which visited Yorktown on Tuesday to celebrate the anniversary of the surrender of Cornwallis tells a good story at the expense of Representative Baker, of New York, whose geniality is proverbial. When the steamer Charlotte, of the York river line, reached West Point, the captain announced that an opportunity would be given those who wished to inspect the town for an hour. So Mr. Baker invited Representatives Morrill, of Kansas, and Sherman to join him in a drive, and accordingly chartered one of the ancient hacks left by Cornwallis to drive them about for a half an hour, or "a dollar's worth."

As Mr. Baker never neglects an opportunity to play a prank on a colleague—especially on Mr. Morrill—he waited until the venerable negro who was doing the "Jehu act," had closed a glowing description of West Point, and quietly remarked to Mr. Morrill: "Now, Mr. Blaine, if you could only get President Harrison to recommend an appropriation for the building of a college here it would be the making of West Point." The remark visibly startled the driver. Appreciating the joke and desiring to turn it upon Mr. Baker, Mr. Morrill replied:

"Oh, certainly, Mr. Morton. I will do that; but why don't you pass a bill through the Senate appropriating the money and get Speaker Reed here to put it through the House?" Representative Sherman promptly remarked that he would "rush it through the House." The driver nearly fell off the box in a fit. Here he was driving about in his back Vice President Morton, Speaker Reed and Secretary Blaine. Whispering to the boy on the seat with him, the news soon scattered among the entire colored population of West Point, which gathered on the wharf to see the distinguished trio. With hat in hand and bowing and scraping in the most profound manner as they alighted, the old man remarked to Mr. Baker as he handed out the dollar: "Look hesh, Mr. Morton, I se always been a stiff Republican, and voted for you and Marse Harrison two years ago, and, if you has no objection—please 'scuse de old man for axing it, 'case he's awful—can't you make dat $2?"

To confess the joke would have disgraced them in the eyes of the crowd, and, without a word, the jolly Baker handed over another dollar, and set up the lemonade and cigars the balance of the trip whenever he was addressed as "Mr. Morton."

Washington Letter.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 7, 1890.

Senator Morrill, chairman of the committee on finance, to-day called up the McKinley tariff bill, as amended by his committee, in the Senate and made a speech opening the debate, the end of which no man is rash enough to attempt to set a date for. There was a disposition on the part of Senators favorable to the River and Harbor bill to have that measure disposed of before the tariff bill was taken up, but owing to the fact that there is a doubt in the minds of many Senators as to whether the President will sign the River and Harbor bill, if it is passed by the Senate and the Senate amendments agreed to by the House, but little was done towards antagonizing the tariff bill with it.

Democratic Senators are openly threatening to talk out the rest of the Fifty-first Congress on the tariff bill, unless the republicans will promise not to take up the Federal election bill in the Senate at this session. This can be done under the present rules of the Senate, if the Democrats have the nerve to carry out their threats. Of course the Senate can, if so disposed, change its rules so as to upset this little democratic scheme, but from conversations with a number of the leading republican Senators I think the sentiment is at this time against making the radical changes in the rules which would be necessary to do it. Many republican Senators are under the impression that there is no general demand by the party throughout the country for the enactment of a Federal election law, so that it may be said that the fate of that measure is in the hands of the republican voters of the country; if they wish it passed let them make that fact known to their Senators, and it will be done. That's the whole situation in a nutshell.

U. S. Treasurer Huston, who has been ill for quite awhile, has recovered and resumed his duties. Mr. Huston is a deservedly popular official.

Ex-Representative Valentine, the new Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, has made a jump into popularity by raising four mammoth United States flags at the feet of the goddess of liberty on the top of the dome of the capitol on the Fourth. Strange as it may sound this is the first time that the national flag has been raised over the capitol since that building was completed, except when the house or Senate was in session, because of the rules which say that the flags over the respective houses of Congress shall be hoisted only when they are in session, consequently on all holidays and during the recess of Congress there has been no flag over the capitol. This has been surprising to all visitors, particularly those from foreign countries, and Mr. Valentine is deserving of credit for having been the first one to solve that problem of how to raise the flags. He had four staffs temporarily erected pointing north, south, east and west, and it is probable that they will be made permanent.

The argument on the silver bill still hangs fire, and if one listened to the opinions expressed by the conferees in private, he would be convinced that no agreement were possible. Nevertheless, it is safe to say that an agreement will be reached, and that it will either provide for the purchase and coinage of $4,500,000 worth of silver each month or of 4,500,000 ounces, and it is probable that the bill will make the coin certificates full legal tender, good for either gold or silver, although the last will not be accomplished without a stubborn fight. The republican conferees are now trying to get together in their ideas so as to act as a unit in this important matter, and it is hoped that they will succeed. Whatever is adopted should be a republican measure pure and simple without any democratic suggestions or assistance.

To-day is individual suspension day in the House, and what is to come up later in the week is not yet fully determined upon, though the committee on elections will try to get some of the contested election cases disposed of, if the appropriation bills, which usually have the right of way, do not prevent.

Mr. Blaine has gone to Maine and is not expected to return for some time, unless the complications with Great Britain in regard to the Behring Sea fisheries shall reach a crisis. There was a rumor here last week that the squadron of evolution had been ordered to Behring Sea to protect American interests at all hazards, but it is stated at the navy department that the squadron is on its way home, having sailed from Rio de Janeiro Saturday.

There are now forty-three stars on the legal flag of the United States, the President having signed the bill admitting Idaho as a State on the 3rd inst., the law providing that the new star shall be added on the Fourth of July succeeding the law admitting a new State. Owing to a Senate amendment the bill admitting Wyoming is still on the Speaker's table in the House.

Good Advice.

HOW TO WIN SUCCESS.

The following contains advice which experienced business men indorse and young men will do well to follow:

Have but one business, know it thoroughly, and attend personally to its minutest details. Be self-reliant, concentrate your energies in a determined and supreme effort to conquer success. Keep your own counsel, attend strictly to business, and never dabble in anything foreign to it, curtail your expenses, never sacrifice safety to prospective large returns, cut short your losses and let your profits run on, and make your prime movers industry, economy and fair dealing. It is the merest rant and bosh to rely on Luck. He is always indolent and whining, folding his arms, drinking and smoking, waiting for big prizes in lotteries, or lying abed expecting a letter with news of a legacy. On the contrary, Labor and Pluck are invincible heroes who conquer success; they strike out new paths, create, contrive, think, plan, originate, take all legitimate risks, toil to surmount obstacles, push forward, win renown by success. The glorious galaxy of successful business men and illustrious authors have all been hard workers. Shun bad company and the prevalent vices of the day, never loan a borrowing friend more than you are able to lose if he cannot pay, and never take a loan on importunity. Never borrow money to speculate with. Acquire knowledge. It is only enlightened men who successfully hold their own with the surging masses who throng the road to riches. Avoid law and legal squabbles of every kind. In discussing business disagreements, keep cool. Make all the money you can and do all the good you can with it, remembering that he who lives for himself alone lives for the meanest man in creation. If engaged in public business, advertise it; be punctual in meeting promised payments; keep short accounts; settle often; be clear and explicit in making bargains. Be civil and obliging as well as decisive and prompt with customers, and do not overtrade your capital. Finally, in the maturity of life, don't rust out by retiring from business; keep bright by useful effort, remembering that industry and happiness are inseparable.

—A gentleman in a stage-coach, passing through the city of Bath, and observing a handsome edifice, inquired of the driver what building it was. The driver replied, "It is the Unitarian church." "Unitarian!" said the gentleman; "and what is that?" "I don't know," said Jehu; "but I believe it is the opposition line."

Memory's Treachery.

In one of the London theatres early in this century a curious case occurred of a sudden failure of memory. The performance was somewhat of a mixed character, and the gods in the galleries called for the "Sprig of Shillelagh," which being a very favorite song they much desired to hear sung, though it had not been announced on the bills. Mr. John Henry Johnstone, who was a well known Irish actor and singer, came forward with good-humored readiness to comply with the expressed desire of the gallery folk.

So the music commenced, but Mr. Johnstone stood still and silent, apparently much confused. Again the symphony was played, but the unfortunate singer looked more confused than before. A third time the symphony was repeated but all to no purpose, and Mr. Johnstone came to the front of the stage, and addressed the audience thus:

"Ladies and gentlemen, I assure you that I have sung this song so often that I forget the first line."

The words were greeted by a roar of laughter, and hundreds of voices began to prompt him. This had the desired effect, and he sang the song with great success and much increased applause.

A well known theologian once broke down in the middle of the Lord's Prayer. A minister, who was very absent-minded, and also a sufferer from an uncertain memory, used to break down very often, and to remedy this he used to make a few supplementary remarks, which he prefaced with the words: "By the way."

One Sunday, as he was in the very middle of an extemporary prayer, he came to a stop, and for the life or him could not remember what he wanted to say next. Added to this he completely forgot what he was about, and he sat down again without closing the prayer. In a moment or two he rose, and, pointing his finger at his astonished flock, he exclaimed "Oh, by the way, Amen."

When Father Taylor was once preaching to sailors he got confused in the middle of his sermon. "Boys," said he, "I've lost my nominative case; but never mind, we're on the way to glory!"

The late Rev. Henry Ware once completely forgot what he had to say. His memory suddenly failed him in the middle of a sermon and he stopped short. Interminable, indeed, did that pause seem to the preacher, and he imagined that in consequence of it his sermon had been an utter failure. As he was walking up the aisle, however, he heard one of the congregation say to another:

"How did you like the sermon?"

"Like it! It is the best sermon Mr. Ware ever preached. That pause was sublime."

A prominent professor went into the Cambridge post-office and presented himself at the place where the delivery of letters was made. He seemed very confused as he stood there silently, and the clerk in charge asked him what it was he wanted.

"My letters, please," answered the professor.

"What name, sir?" asked the clerk.

After a good deal of stammering and stuttering, the learned professor said meekly:

"I have forgotten my name!"

Happily for his convenience the official knew the professor, and, with a smile, handed him his letters.

Questions that Occur to Her.

[From the Philadelphia Times.]

Take it for all in all, the pleasantness of a week on the ocean depends very much on yourself. With a proper preparation of pills beforehand, a prescription from your doctor and a little care as to what you eat, the normal woman ought to keep well, but it isn't the normal or special, it is the general woman who goes to sea, and these are some of her complaints:

She wants to know why they cook anything on board, the smell makes her sick.

She wants to know why the captain can't stop the ship for a day or two, for none of the passengers would mind being a little late, to oblige a lady?

She wants to know why the ship's surgeon can't be with her all the time, for she knows there is nobody on board who needs him so much?

She wants to know why she can't get clam juice and fresh oysters?

She wants to know why people who feel well have the heart to enjoy themselves?

She wants to know what in the world people go to sea for, anyhow? She's had enough of it anyhow.

She wants to know why she didn't think to bring three or four soft pillows with her, and she also wants to know why anybody told her you could not buy shoes on the other side, and she has none to wear except new ones?

She wants to know why she was ever born, and this is what everybody else wants to know, for there seems no reason in the world for her existence.

Young Blaine Coppinger and the Dog Jose.

Shortly after the campaign of 1884, according to the New York *Tribune*, some one sent to Miss Margaret Blaine, now Mrs. Walter Damrosch, a magnificent mastiff, whom she named Jose. The dog showed remarkable intelligence from the first, and was specially fond of little Blaine Coppinger, Mr. Blaine's grandson. "Blainey" Coppinger was then a restless, active little sprite of skirts, and had a passion for running away. He used to catch hold of the mastiff's tail and let the great animal drag him all over the floor. Another delight of the child was to open the wide, red jaws of Jose with his tiny hands and look into the cavernous mouth, with its long, flashing teeth. Jose often accompanied "Blainey's" nurse when she set forth to catch and bring back the child when he started to run away.

One day, when no one was looking, the child made a dash for the front gate, and having got clear of the house, trotted contentedly up the street. Jose saw the escape and followed. A few minutes later "Blainey's" cries of anger were heard. Jose had picked him up with his teeth, by the waist of the child's skirt, and was carrying the young runaway home. "Blainey" was kicking tremendously with his vigorous young legs and was tearing and scratching at Jose's rough face, while his lungs sent out a loud protest against such treatment. The mastiff carried the child, writhing and squirming, through the front gate and into the hall, where he put down the burden, and standing over "Blainey," unmindful of his cries of indignation, wagged his tail contentedly, satisfied that he had done his duty.

A Street Car Incident.

[New York Tribune.]

Even car drivers, the silent, majestic and scornful, at times, show a touch of nature which "makes the whole world kin." The writer stood on the front platform with one a few evenings ago. He lashed himself into a rage over the many and sudden rings of the conductor for stops. At last he said: "Say, mister, if you will hang on to the rail I'll get square with that man." Then he cut his horses fiercely and they began to gallop. He watched until the conductor was walking through the car to the rear platform. Just as the conductor reached the door the driver said between his teeth, "Hang on, now." He gave the brake a sudden jerk and the car stopped like an arrested cannon ball. The brake was as quickly thrown back, whirling around with a sharp rattle as the car bounded on again. The conductor had unceremoniously sat down right in the doorway, his back to the passengers. There was a grim smile on the driver's face when the front door was thrown open a minute later, and the conductor, thrusting his head out, asked in the name of all that was not polite what the trouble was. "I nearly ran down an old man," answered the driver, making a dextrous cut at the nigh horse. "Did you hurt him?" asked the conductor. "No, just missed him." The conductor paused. "I wish I had seen the old man," he said, slowly, and he closed the door and went back to his platform.

—The nervous timidity of brides and grooms can be easily explained, since it is natural for contracting parties to have a shrinking manner.—*Baltimore American.*

—A new "boy preacher" has dawned on the land. It was time. His predecessors are fast becoming fathers in Israel.—*Wheeling Intelligencer.*

The Unknown Sailors

WHO ANCHORED AT AN EASTERN MAINE ISLAND AND ESTABLISHED A POTATO FARM.

The Jonesport correspondent of the Machias *Republican* gives the following account of the Messrs. Ingalls, who have lived on and about Spruce Island for many years:—

They first came to this section in a small fishing vessel, and lived on board their vessel for several successive winters; finally they purchased what is called little Spruce island, which is about on the line between Jonesboro and Jonesport, but is claimed by the latter. Here they built a camp or small house, sold their vessel and purchased a boat in which they conveyed seaweed from other parts of the island to the harbor where they live, and planted potatoes.

Last year they raised three hundred bushels of marketable potatoes. They have no team, nor modern improvements of any kind; their potato field is in a sunny spot near the seaside. The first potatoes they marketed last fall were taken to Rockland in their boat and sold for sixty cents per bushel; since that time they have had more orders than they could fill for one dollar a bushel. They were young men when they came to this section, and have grown old here. There were three when they came here and just that number now. There has been no increase or decrease, and I have never seen any one who knew from whence they came.

The Fisherman Wilted.

An anecdote of an amusing trick perpetrated on two Aroostook fishermen, is related by the Houlton *Pioneer*. J. H. Blethen and Alfred Stetson of Linneus went on a trouting expedition, it seems, and captured eleven fish. They placed them in their wagon and then went off to look after some bear traps. While they were gone Mr. Boyd happened along, and recognizing the team, proceeded to purloin the trout. He then took them to Mr. Blethen's house, and giving them to Mrs. Blethen, told her how he came by them and requested her to say nothing, but cook them the next day and surprise her husband; meantime she would probably hear a pretty good fish story, he predicted. When Mr. Blethen arrived home, his story, in reply to his wife's inquiries as to his luck, was fully up to the expectations of the plotters. He said they caught forty-eight and most of them were of monstrous size, in fact, the finest string he ever saw, but some evil-minded person had stolen them from the team while they were absent, and so on! When his wife produced eleven fried little fishes for dinner the next day and told him that there were his forty-eight monsters, the fisherman wilted like a morning glory in a noon-day sun.

—A man looks at his life, and it

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The editorial fraternity and others who constitute the Maine Press Association, having been absent for several days on their annual excursion, are now homeward bound. The good effects of a brief absence from the drudgery and monotony of office life have been signally apparent throughout the trip. The younger members of the association have been particularly jolly, and the older ones have shown marked evidence of a blissful appreciation of the delightful outing.

A part of the company passed through Ellsworth Tuesday afternoon of last week on the 4.34 train, and at Franklin road were met by buckboards which conveyed them to Cherryfield, where they arrived quite late in the evening. While in Franklin woods they were overtaken by the shower which prevailed that evening, but by the aid of wraps and umbrellas they were so well protected against the elements that none of the party got much wet.

The members of this party speak in the warmest terms of appreciation of the kindness and hospitality shown them by the citizens of Cherryfield, who did everything in their power to make the stay of the party a pleasant one.

It was on the night of their stop in Cherryfield that the safe of Mr. Smith was blown open and several hundred dollars stolen therefrom. Might it not have been that the burglars previously intended to operate in some town in York county or other remote section of the state that night, but finding who were to be guests of the Cherryfield people, hied themselves to that town to crack a safe, believing that suspicions would fall on the knights of the quill, rather than themselves? We shall not attempt to vouch for the entire correctness of the above theory, and we claim no other merit for it than that it will better answer our purpose than any other which we can devise!

Wednesday morning this party drove to Schoodic Lake where they took dinner, and then rode to Machias, arriving in season for tea.

But we must go back as the novelists do and bring up other characters who have taken a part in these adventures. We left home on the 10.10 train of Wednesday forenoon, setting our face toward Mt. Desert Ferry and Bar Harbor. The sail down the bay on the Sappho was a most delightful one. A fresh northwest wind prevailed, and, as is usually the case under such circumstances, large fleecy clouds were sailing rapidly along, the effect of which was to paint, in a very artistic way, and with great diversity of colors, the water and hills all around us with ever changing streaks of light and shade. The artist would have found in a scene like that, a picture which no skill of his, however great it might have been, could ever hope to rival.

At Bar Harbor we had ample time to get some dinner and view the town which is now wearing an aspect of stirring business, and is fast filling up with cottagers and visitors. The "City of Richmond" was late, not arriving until 5 o'clock, and then consuming so much time in discharging her heavy freight that she was not ready to sail again until about 6.30. The off shore wind had blown up no sea, but the remains of an old ground-swell caused by the protracted easterly which had recently prevailed, asserted themselves, and several of our press party which we joined on this steamer were more or less seasick. Between Schoodic Point and Petit Manan a few gathered aft to witness a sunset at sea, which proved beautiful beyond description. As the shades of evening gather around us and the light in the lantern of Petit Manan light-house flashes out over the sea, we find ourself almost involuntarily quoting from Longfellow's beautiful poem, *The Light-house*:

"The light-house lifts its massive masonry,
A pillar of fire by night, of cloud by day."

If there are "sermons in stones" why may we not find sermons replete with touching eloquence on the ocean? Let us see. To-day we have passed the light-house on Crabtree's ledge, a floating bell tolled by the billows, near one of the Porcupine islands, Egg Rock light-house, Winter Harbor light-house, a whistling buoy further out, Petit Manan light, Narraguagus light, Nash's Island light, Moosabec light, and later Libby Island light, and Avery's Rock light, objects which remind us of how much human ingenuity has taxed itself for the aid of mankind. It may be true as the poet has said that "man's inhumanity to man has made countless millions mourn," but surely life-saving devices such as these, which are a few of the many evidences of man's humanity to man, have saved almost countless millions from mourning.

We touch at Milbridge and Jonesport, reaching Machiasport at nearly one o'clock Thursday morning. The good people of Machias have an abundance of teams in waiting for the whole party, and we are driven to our destination, where madame and ourself become guests at the very pleasant residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pierce, whose kindness and hospitality proved unbounded.

The next morning teams were furnished for the whole party, and they, together with hundreds of citizens, drove to Roquedale, formerly known as Englishman's River, a finely located summer resort on the coast of a portion of the town of Jonesboro. This is a delightful place whose charming and diversified scenery is sure to be recognized sooner or later by a large class of people, and its fame will become much wider than the good State of Maine. Dinner, which was served at one o'clock, was a unique repast to some members of the press fraternity. It consisted of a clam-bake, lobsters by the hundred, roast eggs and a great quantity and variety of other food. During the day the Messrs. Gardiner of Boston, the owners of beautiful Roque Island, put their staunch steam launch at the disposal of the Press Association and some most pleasurable excursions were made, an act of courtesy on the part of the owners of the launch, greatly appreciated by all who enjoyed the delightful sail. The weather was perfect and all were charmed with the events of the day. The reception at Libby Hall in the evening was a pleasant gathering and largely attended. The address of welcome by Mr. Drisko of the *Union* was responded to by Mr. J. A. Homan of Augusta. Mr. R. G. Fuller of the Chicago *Inter-Ocean* made a brief address. Excellent music by B. J. Hinds, Herbert Harris, Miss Annie Longfellow and Mrs. Alice B. Talbot, and singing by Miss Nellie Longfellow, and Messrs. Herbert Harris and Frank Sanborn, also the finely rendered reading by Mr. Everett Schwartz of Boston, during the evening, added to the pleasure of the occasion.

At seven o'clock on Friday morning all were astir for an excursion to Buck's Harbor, where the elegant cottage and grounds of J. K. Ames, Esq., were most kindly and generously placed at the disposal of all. The means of transportation were a tug-boat, called the "Sam. Jones," and a schooner which may, for all we know to the contrary, be called the "Sam. Small." One of the pleasant features of the day was a row, with a very intelligent young man of Machias, a Mr. Beverly as oarsman. The unruffled surface of the sea was a perfect mirror and we saw clouds above and clouds below. We visited a capacious cave, a natural bridge, the spouting horn and many other objects of interest, and among all the rest we had an opportunity to look out on the boundless ocean. An excellent and bountiful dinner was served at the cottage of Mr. Ames to which all did ample justice. In the afternoon we visited Mt. Etna, a high point of land in the vicinity, from which we got a wide view which besides embracing Mt. Desert hills and many other points of interest in our own State, takes in Grand Manan, a portion of the dominions of Queen Victoria. Machias River and bay and especially Buck's Harbor, are marked with beauty at all points, and a more delightful trip could not well be had. To Mr. Ames in particular and to the citizens of Machias in general, the visitors are greatly indebted for a day of so rare pleasure.

Friday evening we attended a reception at the fine residence of Bro. Geo. W. Drisko, who was untiring in his labors to make the excursion a success. About 200 were present and a very pleasant evening was passed.

Saturday was spent in viewing the many objects of interest in Machias, and in drives to neighboring towns. Through the great kindness of our host we enjoyed a delightful ride Saturday afternoon through Marshfield to Hadley Lake and the picturesque town of East Machias, and thence by another road to "the place of beginning." In the evening the party went to East Machias to which place they were invited to attend a reception at the fine residence of L. L. Keith, Esq. During Saturday evening we found time to call at the capacious and well arranged offices of Dr. T. J. Batchelder of whom we have heard a good report. He has evidently built up an extensive practice and has many warm friends in his present field of labor.

Sunday we attended services at the Congregational church, and listened to a sermon with which we were greatly pleased, by Prof. E. F. Davis of the Pennsylvania State college, from the text: "Prove all things; hold fast to that which is good." It was one of the most liberal and thoughtful sermons to which we have listened for many a day, and we take this opportunity to thank him for the satisfaction it afforded us. He is a native of East Machias. After supper Sunday evening we drove to Machiasport to board the steamer, going around through the East Kennebec district in order to make a call upon the two Mrs. Holway, old friends whom we knew years ago at Prospect Harbor. Time has evidently visited them lightly; for they still look young. They are well situated and we judge, happy, and that is all that anyone can reasonably ask for.

The following are the members of the party on the present excursion:

Joseph O. Smith and wife, and Miss Coburn, Skowhegan.
C. F. Flynt and wife, Augusta.
H. K. Morrill, Gardiner.
E. H. Elwell and daughter, and Miss Gilpatrick, Portland.
Maj. E. Rowell, Hallowell.
M. N. Rich and wife, Portland.
K. M. Dunlar and wife, Damariscotta.
R. G. Fuller, wife and son, Chicago.
Col. J. M. Adams and wife, Portland.
J. A. Homan and Miss Reiley, Augusta.
C. A. Pillsbury, wife and daughter, Belfast.
Frank McLeary and wife, Farmington.
Chas. B. Haskell and wife, Pittsfield.
C. W. Robbins and Miss G. E. Averill, Oldtown.
J. C. Chilcott and wife, Ellsworth.
Theo. Cary and wife, and G. H. Gilman and wife, Houlton.
Brown Thurston, Portland.
Misses Eva O. and May F. Park, Farmington.
Ozro Castner, Waldoboro.

Never have the members of the Association been on a more delightful trip and never have they been more royally entertained. The people of Machias laid aside business for the time being and devoted all their time and energies to making this visit of the editorial fraternity a charming one and most admirably did they succeed. In short, the Association was greeted with one continued ovation during its entire stay. The Association can never repay them for their kindness but it can and will hold it in appreciative and lasting remembrance.

What Machias especially needs now is railroad connection with the business world, and that it must have in the near future. Washington county with its many large towns and its active population cannot much longer be denied the boon of a shore-line road.

Machias, too, is a historic town, and the spirit which animated its patriotic citizens of long ago did much to make our country a free and independent nation. The citizens of to-day may well be proud of their ancestors; and in closing we may well address to present residents the stirring lines of Mrs. Sigourney:

"O ye, who boast
In your free veins the blood of sires like these,
Lose not their lineaments."

—The Maine *Temperance Record*, organ of the Good Templars, shows its good sense in the following:

The issue is now fairly and squarely fixed between the two political parties of Maine on the temperance question. The Republican party by its platform is committed beyond cavil to prohibition and the enforcement of the liquor laws, while the Democratic party by the same test is as fully committed to license and free rum. We are not sorry the test is to be applied, and the line has been drawn, and we have no fears of the result.

The Democrats have nominated a free rum license man on a platform which opposes prohibition. He will be snowed under with ballots so deep next September that he will imagine a western cyclone has struck Maine.

—A western editor lost ten subscribers by saying: "Many of our readers require an effective soap, and Brussels is just the thing they have needed for a long time."

John C. Fremont, the Gallant Soldier,

"The Pathfinder of the Rockies"

And the Political Leader, is Dead.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Gen. J. C. Fremont died at four this afternoon. His death was sudden and unexpected. It resulted from an attack of peritonitis. The general's son, who lives at Sing Sing, was notified of his father's illness, but was unable to reach New York before death occurred. Mrs. Fremont is at Los Angeles, California, with her daughter. Her son Frank is at Fort Snell, Minn. Gen. Fremont died at the residence of his adopted daughter, the wife of Col. Porter. His illness dated from Tuesday, when he took a trip to Seabright and felt the effects of the excessive heat. Friday a chill ensued and inflammation of the bowels rapidly developed.

Congressional.

Monday, July 7—The conference committee has agreed on a Silver bill, and a vote is likely to be taken in both houses to-day.

The Senate: A "combination" succeeded in defeating the attempt of the finance committee to have the tariff bill considered; the election bill was introduced; the Frye Shipping bills were discussed without action.

The House: No business of importance was transacted.

Tuesday—The Senate: The conference report on the Silver bill was discussed by Messrs. Sherman, Teller, Stewart, Coke, Cockrell, Vest and others; eulogies were pronounced upon Representative S. S. Cox.

The House: The Senate bill for preventing collisions at sea was passed.

In Committee: The House elections committee decided two Mississippi contested election cases—Hill agt. Catchings and Kernaghan agt. Hooker—in favor of the sitting Democratic members, Messrs. Catchings and Hooker.

Wednesday—The Senate: The conference report on the Silver bill was further debated; the sundry civil bill was reported; in executive session, the nomination of Lieutenant-Colonel Batchelder to be Quartermaster-General of the Army was confirmed.

The House: A resolution was adopted calling on the President for correspondence since March 4, 1889, relative to Behring sea.

A caucus of Republican Senators was called for to-night, to take action on the Federal elections bill.

Thursday—The Senate: The conference report on the Silver bill was adopted, by a vote of 39 to 26.

The House: There was a long debate over the rules; the conference reports on the diplomatic and consular and agricultural appropriation bills were agreed to; in committee of the whole the Land Grant Forfeiture bill was considered.

The Senate Republican caucus took no action on the Federal elections bill.

Friday—Congress: Both branches in session.

The Senate: The Frye Shipping bills were debated by Messrs. Gibson and Coke, no vote being reached; Mr. Teller introduced a joint resolution for the calling of an International Silver conference; among the nominations received from the President was that of Colonel Alexander McD. McCook, 6th Infantry, to be Brigadier-General.

The House: It was resolved to debate the conference report on the Silver bill to-day.

Saturday—The Senate: The two Frye shipping bills were passed.

The House: The conference report on the Silver bill was adopted—122 to 90.

The President sent to Congress the Pan-American conference report on monetary union.

Juvenile Temple Convention.

The first convention for the Juvenile Templars of the I. O. of G. T. was held at Union Hall, Ellsworth Falls, July 10. About fifty from Surry were in attendance, including both of our ministers, which shows their interest in the children as well as the cause of temperance. About one hundred were present, perhaps more. It was a success and will lead to many more gatherings. Mrs. E. E. Caine, Grand Superintendent Juvenile Temples of the State of Maine, was present, and added much interest to the occasion. The afternoon session was presided over by the officers of Giant Slayer Temple, which showed they were much interested and had been well trained by their faithful superintendent, Miss Carrie Cochrane. Two ladies rode from Brooklin, a distance of more than thirty miles, thus showing their great interest in the good work. Many were kept away for fear of scarlet fever which was reported to be prevalent in Ellsworth. Rev. Henry Conley of the Falls village aided us by his presence and helpful words of encouragement. The evening session was held at the Free Baptist chapel in the city, but was thinly attended on account of some misunderstanding of its object. Brothers Harden and Crosby helped us by their good words.

State News.

—The new steamer City of Waterville, built in Bangor, to run on the Kennebec, connecting Waterville with tide water, left Thursday for her home port with the projectors and a large party of guests on board.

—Mark J. Sullivan, a census enumerator in Ward 4, Portland, was arrested Thursday by the U. S. Marshal, on complaint of Hon. J. S. Wright, Census Supervisor, for refusing to comply with the oath which he took to perform the duties as enumerator. Sullivan at first neglected his work and then he was instructed to do it over again, but neglected it the second time willfully. He was bound over in the sum of $500 for a further trial next Tuesday. Meanwhile two extra men have been put on to complete Sullivan's work.

—Sheriff W. S. Irish of Rockland, arrested last week W. B. Gilman of Belfast, the noted burglar of Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut. He is a noted character, breaking out of the Insane Hospital, at Augusta, and having committed burglaries throughout the State.

—Two dynamite cartridges, capable of blowing the building to pieces, were found under a shed owned by Hodgkins & Foss on Water street, Lewiston, Thursday. How they came there is not known.

—Postmaster John W. Nowell, of South Eliot, charged with setting fire to his store a few months ago, was Thursday bound over to the Supreme Court. He furnished sureties in the sum of $1,000.

—On the 5th, the soldiers' monument at Newport, was dedicated in due form, and Gen. O. O. Howard delivered his lecture on the "Battle of Gettysburg," afterwards giving a reception. The monument which was furnished by the local granite and marble workers, Messrs. Morse & Bridges, is about 24 feet high, and made of Hallowell and South Thomaston granite. It is of unique design, and probably has not its equal for the cost ($2,000) in this State.

—Schooner Grape of Ellsworth, bound to Portland with hardware and lumber, went ashore on Hart's Island bar, Friday morning, and Washburn Brothers sent their steamer Ellen with a lighter to assist. After removing her deckload, she was got off at the next tide and towed to the wharf.

—The following are the important corrections in Maine made during the month of June on the charts published by the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey: Frenchman's Bay.—Sorrento Harbor (Point Harbor) Entrance.—New Buoys.—A. P. S. can buoy has been placed 170 yards S. by E. 1-2 E. from the east end of Dram Island. A black spar buoy, No. 1, has been placed 50 yards north of the west end of the same island. This affects charts 306, 292, and 103. Frenchman's Bay.—Off Bean's Island.—New Buoy.—A black spar buoy, No. 3, has been placed on the northeast edge of the shoal making to the northward from Bean's Island, 7-8 of a mile E. N. E. 1-4 E. from Crabtree's Ledge Light. This affects charts 306 and 103. Penobscot Bay.—Muscle Ridge Channel.—Upper Gangway Ledge.—Buoy moved.—The H. S. buoy formerly shown on the northwest side of the ledge has been moved to a position close to, and southwest of the ledge. This affects charts 310, 312, and 104.

If Not, Why Not?

In soap, as in every other article of merchandise, the profits are largest on the inferior articles, and it is just human nature for the groceryman to put these latter out whenever he can. A good and economical housekeeper, knowing this, does not content herself with ordering up "some soap," but she says: "Mr. Alispice, put me up half dozen of Brussels soap, and if you have not got it—get it. I don't care for other than Brussels. It's economical."

Many Buildings Blown Down and People Injured.

AUGUSTA, Me., July 9. It was a veritable hurricane that swept over the State last night, and all day long reports of disaster and destruction continue to come in. Chimneys were blown down on every hand, fences and trees flattened, hay scattered and crops damaged, the loss reaching many thousands of dollars. At St. Albans Mr. Alford Martin's barn was blown down, and Mr. Charles Ning, who was in the building, was badly hurt. At North Anson the railroad bridge across the Carrabassett is twisted and wrenched so as to be unsafe to cross, and the following barns were blown flat: James Gabons's, E. F. Bailey's, A. Moore's, George Flint's, Haines Jones's, Marshall Houghton's and Brown & Hilton's large barns on the island. G. A. Stewart's cart shop was unroofed. A. Simmons, Esq., and George Williamson were cut about the head. The bridge being wrecked, the train to-day did not proceed beyond the river.

The barn of Mr. Marston at Fairfield Centre was struck by lightning and destroyed, with its contents. At Madison, the Woolen Company's shed was demolished and two barns blown down. The large stained glass windows of the Maine Central Institute building at Pittsfield were blown down. At Belfast, the barque Carib, moored at Carter's wharf, broke away, carrying part of the wharf with her; she drifted some distance before being recovered. Mr. William Lindsey and daughter were caught out in a row boat on Lake Sebasticook, at Newport. Their boat was overturned in an instant and both were thrown into the water. Mr. Lindsey grabbed his daughter, and seizing hold of the overturned boat held on until they drifted ashore. Mr. S. E. Smith of Palmyra was riding toward home in a top buggy when the gale struck, lifting horse, buggy and occupant, and throwing them against a fence, completely demolishing the buggy, cutting the horse and injuring Mr. Smith badly.

The railroad building near Phillips was blown clean from its abutments into the river. The farm buildings of George Cobb at East Hebron were burned by lightning. In Farmington William Fellows's new barn, 150 feet long, and the barn on Benjamin Stanley's farm were demolished. The tornado raged fearfully at Thorndike. Mr. Downs's new barn was unroofed. S. A. Coffin's house blown to atoms. I. Monroe's blacksmith shop demolished. E. Webster's stable blown down and two large barns seriously damaged. Daniel Elliot was in a barn, and, when he felt the tornado lift the building, ran out. His leg is broken. His sides, hips and hands were more or less hurt, and it is feared he is injured internally. At Newport, Fred Dyer's large new barn was wrecked, and a dozen other barns were unroofed or badly damaged. Four hay barns in Skowhegan were blown down. In Oakland many buildings were damaged, and one house taken ten feet from its foundation. William S. Norton of Freedom lost his barn. In Augusta a large ice house, owned by E. C. Allen & Co., was flattened out. Trains have been much delayed by fallen trees.

Several barns were unroofed, many chimneys blown down and many shade and fruit trees broken at Wilton. The large chimney at J. O. Ashton's tannery was blown over and crushed the tan house. A boat was taken from the lake and carried over twenty rods inland.

FATAL RESULT.

WINTHROP, Me., July 9. Mrs. Polena B. Shaw was fearfully injured by the falling belfry in last night's cyclone, died to-day.

National News.

—At Bridgeport, Conn., last week, Judge Kelsey, in the city court, rendered a decision in the question of a sale of liquor in the original package. The defendant was proprietor of a saloon which was refused a license. It is claimed that he had been selling since July 1. The evidence showed that a bottle of ale and a corkscrew had been given to a customer and his counsel claimed that such sale was in the original package and came within the recent decision of the Supreme Court of the United States. Judge Kelsey held that in this case the original package was the case or barrel in which the bottles of ale were shipped and fined defendant $125 and costs. An appeal was taken.

—The Louisiana Legislature adjourned last week, she die. Among the bills signed by the Governor was a special car bill, similar to that of Mississippi, requiring all railroad companies to furnish equal but separate accommodations for white and colored passengers.

—W. H. Connelly, who was arrested in Boston Thursday, charged with the murder of his five months' old child, was today arraigned in the Municipal Court and committed without bail for trial at the July term of the Superior Court. Connelly lived with his wife and child at 46 Tileston street and it is alleged he pushed his wife down a flight of stairs, injuring the child, which the mother held in her arms, so that she died. The medical examiner finds that the baby's death was caused by a fractured skull as a result of the fall.

—Harry Dent, of Kansas City, last week opened at Ottawa, Kansas, an original package house. He and his assistants were arrested and are now in jail, charged with inciting to riot. Tar and feathers are talked of.

—William Stamfer was before Judge Benedict in the United States Circuit Court at New York, Friday, to answer an indictment charging him with sending a postal card through the mail to Bernard Koenig, of the German paper *Der Reporter*, reflecting upon the character of Mr. Koenig. Stamfer pleaded guilty and Judge Benedict fined him $250, which Stamfer paid.

—A letter just received in San Francisco, from Victoria, states the general opinion prevails there that two fleet of sailing craft have been fitted out, armed and equipped and sent to Behring Sea to aid the British sailing vessels to resist capture by American revenue cutters. The Oowin is at Victoria awaiting sailing orders and information has been received here that cutter Oliver Wolcot, which has been undergoing repairs at Seattle, has been ordered to make ready at once and proceed to Behring Sea.

—A case of alleged Asiatic cholera was reported to the health department of Pittsburg, last week. An investigation is being made.

—The State Board of Arbitration of Massachusetts, recommends that the contractors in Worcester establish for the carpenters a nine hour day for six days in the week, wages to be fixed by the hour.

—Lasts twice as long as cheap soap for laundry use—Brussels.

Marlboro.

School closed on Friday, July 11, after a term of twelve weeks, under the tuition of Nannie M. Abbott. Whole number of scholars 28, average 25. The following were not absent: Grace Closson, Llewellyn Closson, Olive Closson, Granville Douglass, Anthony Ford, Ethna Ford, Wesley Ford, Allie Hodgkins, Reuell Hodgkins, Thad Hodgkins, Gerald Kelley, Pearl Kelley, Joseph McIntyre.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shrout, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My Lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight."

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Hold it to the Light.

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—Don't worry your feet with hosiery that is not shaped to fit the natural foot. There is more comfort for the wearer and less mending for the housewife in Wsukenhose, than in any other foot gear made and everybody ought to wear them. The local dealers sell them.

DRUNKENNESS—LIQUOR HABIT—In all the World there is but one cure, Dr. Haines' Golden Specific.

It can be given in a cup of tea or coffee without the knowledge of the person taking it, effecting a speedy and permanent cure, whether patient is a moderate drinker or an alcoholic wreck. Thousands of drunkards have been cured who have taken the Golden Specific in their coffee without their knowledge, and to-day believe they quit drinking of their own free will. No harmful effect results from its administration. Cures guaranteed. Send for circular and full particulars. Address in confidence, GOLDEN SPECIFIC Co., 185 Race Street, Cincinnati, O. 1y40

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We have a Good Assortment to select from and we shall make prices to suit our customers. A few items we give with prices:

Challies,	5c. per yard.
Ginghams,	7c. " "
Dress Goods in all colors,	10c. per yard.
Cashmeres,	25c. " "
Hosiery,	10c.
Ladies' Vests,	10c.
Towels,	5c.
Gloves,	15c.

And so on, with goods and prices too numerous to mention. We have the store full of goods from the cheapest to the highest cost, all of which we shall be pleased to show to those who call.

A. H. NORRIS.

AN EMINENT
Temperance lecturer in New England, Mrs. John Barton, says: I was subject to those deadly sick headaches and also dyspepsia. Sulphur Bitters cured me when all other remedies failed. Mrs. Barton is the wife of John Barton, Superintendent of Repairs Pacific Mills, Lawrence, Mass.

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Lace Bedspreads,	$1.00
Gent's Hose,	.09
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Ladies' Ribbed Vests,	.10
Ladies' Fast Black Hose,	.15
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Sizes, 18, 19, 20, 26, 29.	
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10 Smart, Industrious, WORKING GIRLS. 10
For our stitching room, to whom we will give steady employment and pay ONE DOLLAR TO ONE DOLLAR AND A QUARTER A DAY after four weeks, during which time we will pay THREE TO FOUR DOLLARS A WEEK.
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Rockland, July 14, 1890. 2w29

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One second-hand Mowing Machine in perfect running order, almost as good as new, Price, $25.00; also one "Eagle" rake in good order, Price, $15.00.
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ONE WEEK,
Commencing Monday, July 21,
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Escaped from Sing-Sing.
Prices—15, 25 and 35 Cents.
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A good sloop, 31 feet long, nearly new. ☞For particulars address H. H. BUCK,
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GREAT - CLEARING - SALE!
ANNOUNCEMENT FOR JULY!
The Stock Marked Down so as to be ready for Fall!
Bargains in Every Department!
The month of July finds us with a great many things in our store which we are going to dispose of at exceptionally low prices. Visit us and you will find it so. We shall have bargains to offer in every department of our store. We propose to give you during this clearance sale opportunities to save money which you cannot well afford to miss. The unseasonable weather we have had all through spring, auction sales, etc., have made big breaks in the wholesalers' and manufacturers' prices. We were able to take advantage of all these things and are going to give our patrons the benefit. The first bargain we offer is the balance of our
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Jackets, Wraps,
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At less than cost of material.
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4w27* A. A. JORDAN.

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The co-partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of Rowe Bros has been dissolved, by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the late firm are requested to pay the amount of their indebtedness within sixty days to the members of the late company at the old stand. Business in the future will be carried on as in the past, under the firm name of Rowe & Co., as successors to Rowe Bros.
Ellsworth, June 26, 1890. 3w27

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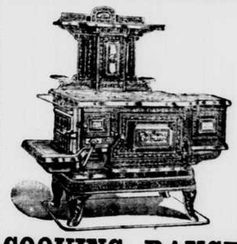
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An Open Letter from Henry M. Stanley.

By the Commercial Cable to the Herald.

LONDON, May 16, 1890.—The following notice was mailed last night to Messrs. Charles Scribner's Sons, and I have been shown the copy:

NOTICE TO THE AMERICAN PUBLIC:

I beg distinctly to state that the only publishers in America who have any authority to publish anything whatever of mine are Messrs. Scribner's Sons and Messrs. Harper Brothers. My book (in advance) is entitled "In Darkest Africa," exclusively in the hands of Messrs. Scribner's Sons, and I cannot too emphatically condemn the conduct of the Publishing Company which is the name of truth and justice, put forth an advertisement headed "Look out! Do not be deceived!" which is full of the most barefaced falsehoods.

The Book which they announce as "Heroes of the Dark Continent," I repudiate entirely. They say it contains all my forthcoming work and a great deal more. I emphatically deny this statement.

I have simply to say once for all, that these people have no possibility publish anything of mine but what they have dishonestly appropriated from my previous works; and being an American citizen and therefore holding my copyright there, I shall on my time take proper measures to protect myself against such unprincipled robbery.

I am aware that several other publishers are announcing spurious works purporting to be mine. I therefore think it high time that all my good friends in America should be put on their guard, and bear in mind that my authorized work will be entitled "In Darkest Africa," in two volumes, and will be published only by Messrs. Charles Scribner's Sons.

2w HENRY M. STANLEY.

West Sullivan.

The schools closed July 11th, after a term of ten weeks. In the primary department Adelbert Gordon, Arthur Newman, Harvey Hooper, Lewis Bunker, Annie Havey, Archie Havey and Bessie Gordon were not absent one half day during the term. Joseph Burke and Hattie Hooper were absent only one-half day. Those not absent unless kept at home by sickness, Willie Carpenter, Clarence Havey, Ralph Stanley, George Gordon, Walter Bunker, Frank Springer and Harvey J. Hooper. The last afternoon was devoted to temperance, music, recitations and exercises and the children deserve more than ordinary credit for the readiness and enthusiasm with which they carried out their various parts.

The people of this place had much to enjoy in the religious services Sunday. After the morning sermon by Rev. J. R. Bowler, a large number of people assembled at the shore to witness the beautiful baptismal service performed in Mr. Bowler's quiet impressive manner. In the evening a large congregation again gathered at the church and listened to a very earnest helpful sermon from Rev. C. C. Phelan.

The Sunday school is to have a new library. The members of the school are preparing for a temperance concert, which, under the direction of Lettie Taylor, Myrtle Hooper, Maude Moore and Lena Hooper, cannot fail to please in every way.

Our Loyal Legion meets Wednesday evenings at seven o'clock. We wish both the children and the young ladies who lead the movement every success in their work.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Bunker and Mrs. Ramsdell were pleasantly surprised by a visit from Mr. Alonzo Estabrook of California. His many friends here are glad to welcome him after an absence of sixteen years and regret that business compels him to go back so soon. A.

Advertised Letters.

ELLSWORTH POST OFFICE, July 12, 1890.

Capt. F. C. Atwood, J. N. Bragdon,
Augustus L. Gordon, Mrs. Millie Gaskill,
Mr. James L. Gray, Miss Nellie T. Harvey,
Minnie Hannah Moore.

Please call for advertised letters.

A. W. GREELY, P. M.

—It is poor economy to live on turkey one week and pig's rump and cabbage the next. This rule also applies to the use of soaps, of which Brussels is the best and most economical.

The Ellsworth American.
Published Thursdays.
Offices 20 and 22 State Street.

City and County.

—Capt. C. M. Alley is seriously ill.

—Collector Hopkins is building a new stable.

—Mrs. Geo. P. Dutton and daughter are visiting in Augusta.

—Dr. W. M. Haines has been on a recent visit to friends in Dexter.

—Secretary Blaine was in this city Monday, the guest of Senator Hale.

—Mr. Fred L. Mason is having some fine grading done at his lot on Beal street.

—Judge Redman will go to Brunswick, Thursday, to be a referee in a law case.

—Mr. Chas. H. Varnhame, now of Lynn, Mass., formerly of this city, is spending a few days in this city.

—Mr. and Mr. Rodney F. Suminsby, with their two daughters, of Bar Harbor, were in this city last Sunday.

—Capt. Geo. W. Lord and daughter of Calais, who have recently been visiting relatives in this city, have returned home.

—A new post-office has been established at North Orland, with Willard P. White as postmaster.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Damrosch, now travelling on the Continent, are expected at Bar Harbor the first of August.

—July has two full moons, being the only month in the present year that is thus provided.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Joy, who have been visiting at Saccarappa, have returned home and taken rooms at the residence of Mrs. Franks on School street.

—We are pained to hear of the death of Mrs. Helen Springer Macomber, which took place at Franklin, the 9th inst. She leaves a child three weeks old. She was an estimable lady who will be much missed.

—Mr. Henry W. Cushman has commenced the work of building a house on Birch Avenue. Mr. James Shea has the contract to dig and complete the cellar, and is now at work thereon.

—Mr. I. L. Emery of East Dedham, is visiting in the western part of the State. He will soon return and establish a residence in this vicinity.

—Mr. Edward Davis of Waltham, Mass., son of the late Lafayette Davis, has been visiting at his home in this city.

—Mrs. Milton O. Frazier of Lynn, Mass., arrived in this city, Saturday, on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lord. She was accompanied from Sedgwick, where she has been the past week, by her sister, Mrs. Dority and her two sons.

—Mr. C. E. Perkins, having closed his school at Vinalhaven, and returned to this city, is now canvassing the county in the interest of Porter & Coates, Philadelphia, school-book publishers.

—Mr. A. M. Foster of this city, last week purchased of Mr. Douse in Bangor a very fine five-years-old Knox colt.

—A regular meeting of the W. R. C. will be held Friday of this week, and the officers are requested to be ready to report at that time. A full attendance is desired.

—Senator Hale, after having put in much excellent work in the Senate, and having found a brief period where he can safely pause to get his breath, is now at home for a few days on business. He is looking well.

—Mr. H. J. L. Stanwood of Brunswick, brother of our book-binder, W. F. Stanwood, is in town to do the work left with his brother who has been unable to work much since his illness.

—Mr. Geo. A. Joy of Skowhegan, was in town Monday. He states that his business here at this time is in the interest of establishing a coat factory in this city.

SMART WORK.—Schooner D. S. Lawrence, Capt. Patterson, sailed from Northport, Wednesday, July 9, went to Plymouth, discharged eighty thousand of lumber and arrived back at Northport Sunday, July 13, making the trip in five days.

—Prof. W. R. Whittle, principal of the Ellsworth High school, is canvassing in eastern Maine in the employ of A. S. Barnes & Co., publishers of school-books.

—Miss Alice Burnham who has been receiving instruction in phonography and type-writing in Boston, has returned home for the summer.

—See in another column the advertisement of Rust, Mowry, Payson Co., Rockland, who are in want of ten smart girls to work in their pantaloon manufactory.

—The Rev. A. F. Palmer has resigned the pastorate of the Bar Harbor Baptist church, and expects to remove to Kennebunk at an early date.

—Peter Smith's store at Cherryfield was entered by burglars Tuesday night of last week, the safe blown open and eight hundred dollars in money taken. Two suspicious characters were arrested at Millbridge and were arraigned Wednesday afternoon, but were discharged, we hear, for want of evidence.

—See the new advertisement of M. Gallert in another column. This new gospel of St. Myer to the Ellsworthites and others is indeed "glad tidings of great joy unto all people." Give him a call, and see for yourselves. "Seeing is believing," you know.

—The vesper service, with address, at the Congregational church next Sunday evening, will begin at 7.15 o'clock (punctually) and close at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited. The evening service will be preceded by the usual Christian Endeavor meeting, beginning at 6.30 o'clock.

—The AMERICAN office "crew," the *devil* included, wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Geo. I. Moore of Otis for the liberal treat of confectionery received on Tuesday of this week. It was much appreciated.

—We hear with great pleasure that it is a settled fact that a coat factory is to be erected on the Pond estate on town house hill. The owners of that estate are to proceed at once to erect a suitable building which will be rented to the new company for manufacturing purposes as indicated above. The people of Ellsworth will have a very hearty welcome for all such industries as these.

—Much disappointment is expressed at the census enumerators' figures, they showing a falling off in the population during the last decade, when it was confidently expected that Ellsworth would make a gain. We expect to see the present figures slightly increased; but not enough, we fear, to bring us up to those of 1880.

—Mr. E. B. Hodgkins found in his field at Lamoine, the 12th inst., a small balloon in a fair state of preservation. To it was attached a postal card addressed: "Winthrop B. Field, care of W. B. Hosmer, Blue Hill, Maine. June 17th, '90." On the reverse side was written, "Will the person into whose hands this balloon falls, kindly state the time and place on this postal and mail it?"

—The Thomas E. Shea company which proved so popular in this city a year ago, has announced that it will be present at Hancock Hall, July 21st, to fill an engagement of one week. This is a favorite company with the people of Ellsworth, Mr. Shea in particular, who is an able actor, being held in high estimation. See advertisement in another column.

—Dr. H. C. Vaughan of Lawrence, Kansas, formerly editor of the AMERICAN, is in town for a few days. Bro. Vaughan is looking well notwithstanding that he has had a recent attack of bilious fever. He says that Maine people know nothing of hot weather compared with Kansas, where people go to bed with nothing on but a fan and then sweat all night! The Doctor's many friends in this city have a most cordial welcome for him.

—The Water Company has lost two lanterns within a short time, one of which disappeared on the night our citizens were looking for the lost girls, and the other at an earlier date. The last one taken was brought back the next day, an act for which the company desires to extend its thanks. It also wishes to say that it has still warmer thanks in store for those who will bring back the other lantern, and still warmer for those who will let them alone in the future.

—The contract for building the Ellsworth electric light plant has been awarded to Norris Bros. of Hancock. The plant is owned by the Brush Electric Company, and Mr. F. S. Palmer will superintend operations. He is general manager and will take charge there. Work will begin at once. It will be built on the site of the old plant and will be run by water power, giving lights for both streets and stores. A. M. Foster, has the contract for doing the wood-work.

—A crew has been at work deepening the channel of the river near Indian point.

—Mrs. Arthur I. Saunders was the guest of Mrs. Rodney Suminsby at Bar Harbor last week.

—Work has begun upon the new church at Hull's Cove. The stone was furnished by Stan Wilson of Sullivan.

—Deputy High Chief Ranger J. J. Lappin, of Portland, assisted by Mr. Carr, installed the officers of Pine Tree Court of Foresters in this city, last week. The ceremony was a very interesting one.

—We have received the first number of Vol. XI of the *Bar Harbor Tourist*. It is a sixteen page paper, contains a large quantity of local and society news. We are glad to get it.

—Messrs. E. H. Greely & Co., of Ellsworth, who cut ice last season in Lamoine, have sold their entire product to the Knickerbocker Ice company of New York and the vessels are all chartered to take it to New York. It was a very successful operation.

—There has been a great deal of building at Sorrento within the past year, and several cottages and other buildings have been added to the list. Property has been improved with new lawns and other features, which add greatly to the attractiveness of the place.

—Mr. H. W. Jordan, Mis Jordan and Mr. Horace Jordan and family are at their charming summer home on Jordan's Island. A party of friends from Boston are visiting them: Miss Dana, Miss Dunkley and Mr. W. W. Warren.

—Bar Harbor *Tourist*: This is the time of year when hotel friendships grow space and piazza flirtations are among the most popular furnishings of a summer cottage. It is natural for unsociable society to melt and run together when this brief but delicious season is warming hearts.

—All of the Bar Harbor hotels are now open and guests are beginning to come in quite fast, as the warm weather has recently been sufficiently oppressive to drive people to the sea shore. The latter part of this month and next month will doubtless see the hotels crowded with guests.

—A large new pier is to be built soon on Rodick Island at Bar Harbor by the Canoe Club. The Club is in a flourishing condition. Its members number 300. The regular reception will be given as usual in August and small informal teas will be held there by the different members all through the season. This birch bark canoeing is distinctive to Bar Harbor; there is no other club of the kind anywhere.

—At the last regular meeting of Lejok Lodge, No. 90, I. O. O. F. of this city, officers for the ensuing six months were installed as follows: C. J. Brown, N. G.; W. R. Parker, V. G.; W. J. Logan, R. S.; J. A. Cunningham, P. S.; Lewis Friend, Treas., C. W. Moore, R. S. N. G.; H. Brown, L. S. N. G.; Percy Smith, I. G.; Wm. Brown, O. G.; H. Byrn, R. S. S.; C. I. Staples, L. S. S.; C. L. Morang, R. S. V. G.; F. S. Call, L. S. V. G.

—Mr. Geo. I. Moore of Otis and Miss Laura A. Holmes of Marshfield, were married at Otis, the 8th instant. For a liberal package of wedding sweets the editor returns his warmest thanks, and wishes that the newly made husband and wife may be Moore and Moore happy as the years speed on. As for the bride, may her sorrows over the Holmes she has left, be Moore than counterbalanced by the joys of the home of her husband.

—A Raymond excursion party numbering about sixty passed through the city Wednesday on the way to Bar Harbor for a two days' stop. The party is in charge of Mr. Charles R. Harding, Pacific coast agent of Raymond & Whitcomb. The excursionists arrived Saturday morning and went to Kineo to remain over Sunday. They are having a pleasant trip and are traveling in Pullman cars.

—We stop the press to report that at 3 o'clock this morning the steamer Olivette from Boston to Bar Harbor collided with a new schooner from Milbridge, cutting her clean in two, the helmsman and two young ladies being left on the after part of the vessel and the rest of the crew on the forward part. The helmsman had sufficient presence of mind to lower the boat from the davits and transport the two young ladies in their night-clothes on board the Olivette.

MAINE YEAR BOOK.—We are indebted to the publisher, Mr. G. M. Donham, Portland, for a copy of the Maine State Year Book, for 1890. The Year Book is a production of much value to all citizens of the State, filled as it is with all kinds of information of use in many different ways. The book is always eagerly sought after, and it is one of the most useful books in the business man's library. The number for 1890 contains the increased information which marks it from year to year.

—The improvements at the Masonic hall over the store of E. R. Gardner & Co., Bucksport, are progressing finely. The covering over the entrance has been continued nearly to the eaves, and in addition to the platform for the safe, another closet for the reception of the paraphernalia for working the degrees has been built. The new part not only makes the hall more convenient but much more comfortable, as one will be under cover as soon as he leaves the street level which in winter will be appreciated by all who attend the meetings.

—Mr. Irving Osgood, photographer, has recently been taking some pictures at Sorrento. One of these is the beautiful cottage of Hon. Frank Jones, which is surrounded by a wall of about 800 feet in length, made of dimension stones of red and gray granite and capped with cut granite of fine quality. In this fence are several granite posts surmounted by urns in which are growing a great variety of flowers. In the centre of each one of these urns is an electric light which serves to make the night brilliant. This wall, we hear, cost $15,000. Mr. Osgood has also taken a fine view of the new Episcopal church at that place which is evidently a great ornament to the new settlement.

—One evening last week two children by the name of Dorr, 9 and 13 years old, respectively, whose parents recently moved from Branch Pond to this city and rented a house on Fourth street, were found to be missing. As they left home in the morning and had not been heard from up to that time, much alarm was felt for their safety; and parties were sent out in search. Later the bells were rung and a general alarm was given, a large number of our citizens taking part in the search which was continued well into the following morning. The father of the missing girls went to Branch Pond where he found them sound asleep in bed at the house of a friend. Being a little homesick, they had left thus uncermoniously to visit the neighborhood of their former home.

—The dwelling-house and outbuildings of Mr. Geo. I. Moore at Otis, were entirely consumed by fire in the early morning of the 10th instant. Mr. Moore was married on the 8th instant and on the evening of the ninth his neighbors came to serenade him. Mr. and Mrs. Moore got up and "treated" the company to confectionery which Mr. Moore prepared for the occasion. The company left at a late hour in the evening. About two or three o'clock in the morning the inmates of the house were awakened by a commotion among the hens of which he kept quite a large number. Mr. Moore hastily arose to find his hennery in flames. No help being near the flames rapidly spread, and the entire buildings were destroyed. A portion of the furniture and household goods was saved. The buildings and hens were insured to the amount of $500. The origin of the fire is unknown.

—A Bucksport firm paid a neat compliment when they made a fine cake with the Masonic emblems of the lodge, chapter and commandery in the frosting and presented it to the Sir Knights of Bucksport, for their guests from Waterville last week.

—Portland Commandery of Knights Templar, No. 2, made Bar Harbor a visit on Tuesday of last week, arriving at 4.15 P. M. under the command of Eminent Sir Knight Farrington; G. E. Raymond, generalissimo; S. E. Russell, recorder, and Leander Forbes, treasurer, escorted by Chandler's Band. The Knights presented a fine appearance, as they marched in file up Main street, through Cottage street to the West End Hotel. About one hundred and fifty Knights with their ladies were registered.

AN ERRONEOUS IMPRESSION.—The ELLSWORTH AMERICAN is herewith informed that the item in the *Whig* to the effect that quite a large number of people and the "Hoosiers of Ellsworth" would go to Portland on the Fourth was not, as it inferred, intended as a slur upon the people of that good city. The *Whig* reporter understood that to be the name of the Ellsworth fire company, as the item was given him, and printed in that belief, stating that they would participate in the "firemen's parade." As the AMERICAN has seen fit to arraign the *Whig* for an "ungracious fling" when we were entirely innocent of any such intention it will of course do us the justice to correct the erroneous impression. The *Whig* is not conducted on that basis. Mistakes will sometimes happen, as in this case, but "ungracious and completely uncalled for flings" are not permitted to appear in these columns.—*Bangor Whig.*

—A suspicious looking man, accompanied by a woman, registered at Hotel Marlborough, Bar Harbor, as C. E. Walker and being caught in the act of arranging a false beard he was arrested. He says his real name is C. E. Davis, and that as he came here with another man's wife he wore false whiskers so he would not be detected. He said he was a cousin of the editor of the New York *Marine Journal* and belongs to a prominent New York family. Davis is held for trial. The police think he is a blackleg. The guests of the Marlborough, among whom are many wealthy Bostonians, are much excited.

SHIPPING THE ICE.—The work of shipping ice from the Riker stack at Reed's Pond has been going on rapidly recently. At times two trains per day, each with a capacity of 150 tons, have been run to Mt. Desert Ferry, where the ice has been loaded upon the barges which have come there for their cargoes. It is estimated that there are over 50,000 tons at Green Lake station waiting to be shipped to the Ferry. With the train facilities in use it will take until about November 1st to ship the whole lot. The ice is being disposed of as rapidly as possible, and a large crew has been at work at the stack and at the Ferry. Some big barges have been loaded by the company.

—Bar Harbor is to receive a visit this week from the Eastern Yacht Club fleet which is on its annual cruise to the eastward. In the fleet is the schooner Merlin and the sloops Gossoon, Thelma and Shark, the winning boats in the Marblehead regatta of Friday last. The other yachts of the fleet are the schooners Sea Fox, Mayflower, Oneona, Iroquois, Giltana, and Miranda; the cutters Medusa, Huron, Bayadere, Shona, Rondina, and sloops Ventura, Alga, Milicete, Pappoose, Chiquita, and Hawk. Accompanying them is the steam yacht Wanda, of New York, also flying the pennant of the Eastern Yacht Club. The fleet will receive a warm welcome at Bar Harbor.

PLEASANT OUTING.—A most enjoyable picnic was that at Cedar Grove, North Bucksport, last Saturday, when the Methodist preachers stationed along the Penobscot gathered with their wives and children for a genuine good time. By noon thirty-one members of the party were upon the grounds. After some repairs to the old tables and benches, baskets were opened and a bountiful feast appeared, which included some of the delicacies of the season. After the repast some excellent extemporaneous speeches were elicited under the direction of Dr. Chase, of Bucksport Seminary. Many of the songs of Zion were sung and by 5 P. M. the last of the party were on their way home.

—The mid-summer evening entertainments at Castine have commenced. The Castine Concert Band give really fine, open air concerts from their stand upon the common, which are universally enjoyed; and the moonlight boating has been exquisite. There have been a number of excursions from the neighboring towns in the excursion steamer "Castine," and several yachts. Castine seems to have every natural advantage for summer enjoyment, and visitors are rarely, if ever satisfied with one season there. Several farm houses in North Castine have been purchased and remodeled into summer cottages. Prof. Keener of Harvard College, is occupying his cottage for the first season. Prof. Ames of the same college is quite a near neighbor. Several others meditate purchases in their vicinity this season.

—The following returns of the United States census are furnished by Supervisor Gilman of the Eastern Maine district:

HANCOCK.

	1880.	1890.
Orland	1080	1401
Bluehill	2213	1972
Franklin, Eastbrook and Townships 9, 10 and 11	1331	1528
Otis, Mariaville and Waltham	982	747
Hancock and Township 8	1110	1211
Eden	1629	1851
Mt. Desert	1067	1353

—The marriage of Mr. Frank E. Narey of Revere, and Miss Millie F. Haskell of Ellsworth, Me., took place at 11.30 A. M., yesterday at the residence of the bridegroom's brother, Mr. Walter Narey at Revere. The bride was attired in a white cashmere, her ornaments being pearls and a corsage bouquet of white roses. The officiating clergyman was Rev. T. C. Wheeler. After receiving the congratulations of their friends the couple left on the train for a short wedding trip, after which they will reside at Revere.—*Boston Morning Journal*, of July 10.

Trenton.

July 4th, the morning was somewhat rainy, but by eight A. M., the clouds began to break away and the afternoon became a "bright sunshiny day" and quite warm. About eight A. M., a loaded team from Ellsworth, passed by the house of the writer bound for the dwelling house of J. H. Smith, the team from Ellsworth being the signal for a general movement of neighbors and friends of this district. No. 7, to the same place, for a Fourth of July picnic party. By 10 A. M. the house was well filled with a mixed company of all ages, from over eighty years to three months. Ice cream was served to those that wanted, while others partook of nice lemonade. The dinner hour arrived and twelve of the older class sat down to a joyous feast, after being filled to repletion the table was vacated for the younger class of the same number, and all went from the table satisfied. Between dinner and supper, the younger class enjoyed their out-door sports; the older men related many adventures while at sea and in the army; the women, not to be outdone, put the men completely in the shade by their marvelous stories of past deeds. The supper was a repetition of the dinner, but rather better, with some addition to the numbers. Taken as a whole the day can be counted on as a "bright spot" in the lives of all that were old enough to enjoy on a small scale the Fourth of July, 1890.

July 10. H. S. T.

Lamoine.

The usual number of summer visitors are with us and taken with those returning home, make times quite lively; coming and going seem to be the order of exercises.

Mrs. Josiah Worcester with her family of four children, has left for Seattle. We shall miss her very much in church, grange and social life. She was always ready to lend a helping hand and do her part, and has left many friends who wish her prosperity in her new home.

Mr. J. F. Coolidge has returned to his home in Waltham, Mass.; hope he will come again soon, and stay longer.

Capt. Calvin Coggins has left for New York to command schooner Lillian Woodruff, soon to sail for Para.

Mr. Uriah Hadley of Waltham, Mass., has spent several days in town and has gone to visit friends at Eden.

Miss May Gibbs from Waltham, Mass., is stopping at Mr. C. L. Young's.

Mr. Charles Bartlett and family of Boston, are visiting relatives in town.

Miss Grace Bragdon is at present at Mr. E. H. King's.

Miss Grace Reynolds from Meriden, and Miss Blanche from Waltham, are spending their vacation at home.

Mrs. Emma Coggins of Meriden, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Charles Whittaker.

Mr. Chas. Whittaker has returned from Boston.

Mr. Charles Cushing and family from Waltham, Mass., are the guests of Mr. G. B. Hodgkins.

We are very glad to welcome our old friend Mr. C. A. Reynolds and family back to their own home. Mr. Reynolds will soon return to Cambridgeport, but Mrs. Reynolds and children will stop until cool weather.

Mr. Shepard Cousins has returned from an eight months' voyage, and has visited some of his old friends at Somesville and East Bluehill, taking his wife with him.

A special examiner from Washington has been in town looking up his pension claims.

Mr. F. D. Young of Webster City, Iowa, is calling upon his old friends here, for a short time.

Mrs. N. B. Coolidge is slowing recovering from a long and tedious illness, also Mr. Joel E. Young is able to walk out and take some out-door exercise.

Lamoine Grange has suspended meetings through the month of July.

Capt. Howard Farnham, schooner Jennie Stubbs, is discharging a load of cocoanuts in New York.

Mrs. Phœbe Wilbur of Waltham, is visiting her only daughter, Mrs. F. D. Hodgkins. She is one of the smart old ladies that seem to enjoy life and want others to, and although often afflicted, she has not been cast down, but rejoices in the love of God.

Capt. D. R. Hagerthy has taken command of schooner Chas. Moffot, and will soon sail from New York for Ponce, P. R. The captain has had his stable moved and made extensive repairs upon it.

Capt. E. W. Higgins is having his house painted and Mr. E. H. King has added a piazza to his house. Mrs. George Thompson has had a fine hedge set out, and gravel walks in front of her house, which add much to the looks of her already beautiful cottage.

Dr. N. C. King and A. W. King, Esq., were in town yesterday. We presume their house on the old homestead will soon be opened for the summer.

Who is going to Deer Isle to attend the county grange in August?

July 14. MEM CON.

No. Hancock.

Mrs. Fennimore of Cherryfield, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joan Curtis.

Columbus Miles of Woburn, Mass., is making a visit to friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. Stella Shaw has gone to Woburn, Mass., to stop for the summer.

Mrs. Minnie Milliken is in very poor health.

Madison Bridges, wife and Misses Mabel and Lulu have gone to Penobscot to visit relatives.

Capt. Eastman Googins is very sick with inflammation of the bowels; he is attended by Dr. G. A. Phillips of your city.

Misses Evelyn Butler and Fannie Gladding of Providence, R. I., recently made a flying visit to Miss Butler's mother, on their way to Bar Harbor, where they will be employed during the season.

Mrs. Mary Milliken and little daughter Mamie, have gone to Winter Harbor to stop for a few weeks.

Edward Norris went to Portland, last weeks, on business.

Watson Joy is very much improved in health.

Work at Hall's mill at Kilkenny, will be suspended for a few weeks, on account of haying.

Misses Emma and Lena McFarland have gone to Winter Harbor to work.

July 12. SUMAC.

Great Pond.

The Fourth was an exceedingly quiet day here, and most of our young people went out of town.

Miss Bessie Williams has returned home after an absence of six months. All her friends are glad to have her once more among us.

Mrs. Garland and Miss Ida Garland have returned from a brief visit to Wesley.

John Laughlin has been confined to the house by illness for a few days. We are glad to learn that he is gaining.

The children, under the management of Mrs. Garland, will give an entertainment on Saturday evening for the benefit of the church.

J. P. Patterson's variety troupe will give an entertainment July 15.

The grateful thanks of the circle ladies are extended to those from our neighboring towns who so generously contributed toward raising the church fund at the meeting held here June 29. At the request of several the sealing of the corner-stone was postponed until a later date.

July 10. FLOSSIE.

Southwest Harbor.

The National birthday was observed here in a quiet way, with no noisier demonstrations than the small boys' shouts and cracker explosions. The Methodist aid society took charge of Tremont Hall at an early hour and dispensed most excellent refreshments to all comers throughout the day, reaping a neat sum of money considering the fact that West Tremont was carrying on an extensive celebration, attracting immense crowds to that locality. In the evening an appreciative audience listened to a fine patriotic oration given by Rev. Mr. Winslow of Bar Harbor. The Southwest Harbor base ball club enjoyed the lecture more heartily through having defeated the Bar Harbors at West Tremont, a closely contested game, but a victory all the same.

Saturday, the 5th of July, proved to be a much more exciting day here than the preceding, when multitudes gathered at Tremont Hall, coming from the north and south, the east and the west, with hopeful expectancy written upon each countenance, to hear the results of the wonderful gift enterprise, and many returned to their places rejoicing over a new jack-knife.

Fred Robbins has purchased a house lot of the widow Stinson, and will soon erect a house thereon.

Every boat day adds many new names to the hotel register, not many really new names either, for a large proportion of our summer visitors have for several years in succession proved the attractions of Southwest Harbor to be well worth seeing again and again.

Another aged pilgrim has been summoned home. Mrs. Rich, formerly of Cooper, who has been cared for by her son, W. W. Rich and his wife during the past two years, passed away quietly on the Fourth of July. After prayers and singing at the house, she was taken by her son to her old home for burial.

Capt. Jacob Carroll who cut himself in the leg quite severely last week while building a fence, at last accounts was doing well. S.T.S

The prettiest thing out is a tall rose bush at the door of Mrs. Lida Cousins' home with 365 beautiful large white roses, on which she enriched Mr. several pulse, giving promise of additional beauty. "Barney," can your roses from Cape Rosier make a better display?

July 10. SPRAY.

Sullivan.

Capt. Hollis Higgins and wife are in town for the summer.

Mrs. Hall, formerly Mrs. Emery of West Sullivan, died last Sunday morning, after a lingering illness.

Mrs. West and son Willie, from Hyde Park, are visiting Mrs. West's sister, Mrs. J. H. Stimson.

Mrs. H. T. Goodridge of Salisbury Cove is visiting friends here.

The "Waukeag" and "Manor Inn" are open, and quite a goodly number of visitors at both places. The genial landlord, Mr. Balch, has had large experience in this line and guests at these places will find all possible comfort at his hands.

Mr. Gill, who so successfully ministered to the "Liberal Christian Society," last year, is again here, and preached his first sermon the 6th inst. from the subject "Our Will, and the Divine Will," which was very heartily appreciated by all who heard it. Last Sabbath evening he spoke again of the "simple childlike faith in God which we all need," and which "comes not from science, culture or much knowledge, but in reply to the yearnings of our inner hearts."

The Alexanders from Brooklyn, N. Y., are occupying Mrs. M. A. Smith's house for the season. R.

Bartlett's Island.

Since writing last, death has again entered our place and taken from among us one of our number. Winfield C. Dyer died June 25, at the residence of his brother, Capt. Frank Dyer, attended by his sister, Mrs. Mary Tibbetts. Mr. Dyer was the youngest son of Capt. N. Dyer of this place, formerly of North Haven, and brother of Russel Dyer of the *Republican Journal*. He was a young man of great promise. When quite young he entered the office of that paper. By developing a talent for engineering he went to Boston and for several years was employed on a line of steamers running from Boston to Cape Cod. He passed his examination and got an A. No. 1 certificate as engineer. Two years ago while in New York employed on a tug-boat, he contracted a severe cold, which, through neglect, developed into consumption. Everything was done for him that human skill and love could do, but of no avail. His brother, Capt. F. E. Dyer, last winter took him to Trinidad and afterwards to Savannah where he was faithfully attended by Mrs. Dyer, but his one wish was to come home to his sister who had been to him as a mother since the death of his mother when he was quite young. The journey was too much for him and he failed rapidly, and on the 25th of June, quietly passed away, surrounded by loving relatives and friends. He will be greatly missed by all, as he was one who made friends wherever he went. His brother, Mr. Russel Dyer, came in the yacht "Jeannette" and took the remains to Belfast, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Tibbetts, and daughter Jessie, and his brother, Alden Dyer, where he was buried beside his mother in Grove cemetery.

Mr. Leon Tibbetts has gone to Boston where he is employed on the "Gen. Lincoln."

The Fourth passed off pleasantly and quietly, most of our young folks going to Long Island. Saturday the folks from Long Island and other places came here and had a good time, it seemed in celebrating for the second day.

Mr. Heagan has gone to Boston to get a contract for his granite which is said to be of first class quality. B.

July 8.

Deer Isle.

Mr. Dudley Fulsom, wife and daughter, Mrs. Dr. Hardy, of Boston have arrived at the old Manse.

The family of the late Francis H. Torrey have erected a beautiful monument to his memory in the Beach cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Waterman came from Boston to-day to visit Mrs. Waterman's mother, Mrs. F. H. Torrey.

Mrs. Frank A. Torrey and son George of Sedgwick, were visiting at W. P. Lowe's last week.

Mrs. Sabrina has gone to North Deer Isle to live with her daughter, Mrs. S. C. Lowe.

Mrs. Alfred Freethy of Brooklin is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sophron's Johnson.

Mrs. Clara B. Holden has gone to Bangor and Boston on a visit to friends and relatives.

July 12. M. L.

Sunset.

Mr. Luther K. Haskell and Mr. Moody who have been stopping at Sunset for a few days left town, Saturday, for their home in Roxbury, Mass.

Farmers in this vicinity have commenced haying. They report an average crop.

The people of West Deer Isle raised a flag above their school-house, July 4, with appropriate speeches and remarks for the occasion.

Miss Mamie Gray of Long Cove is visiting her cousin, Lewis Judkins.

Prof. Southworth and family of Gambier, O., have arrived and opened their fine cottage at Sunset, for the season.

Quite a number of summer visitors arrived last week and are stopping at the Prospect place.

Mr. Wm. Raynes arrived home from Portland, Tuesday, on a short visit to relatives. MITHRIDATES.

Obituary.

A sad death occurred at Surry village, Sunday evening, that of Ethel Young, aged about seven years, second daughter of Capt. Harry Young. She was a very lovely child, beloved by all her playmates. She attended the Juvenile convention last Thursday in perfect health. Friday, she with others, was in the fields and perhaps ate something there or it may have been canned corn of which she ate Friday, but it was no doubt one or the other of the causes. Her parents and sister have the deepest sympathy of every one in this community. To add to the sadness of the occasion Capt. Young is away with his vessel and will meet the sad blow when he arrives at Philadelphia. Dear little Ethel joined the temple about one year ago. She has been a constant attendant and will be much missed; she is the second of our little band to be taken by death. Just a year ago death entered our ranks and took Linda Wolvin.

Obituary.

Mrs. Jane H. Beal of Surry, daughter of Joshua and Betsey Moore, was born April 9, 1802, and departed this life, June 25, 1890, aged 88 years, 2 months and 6 days. Mrs. Beal was converted in early life and married for her first husband the Rev. Philip N. Kimball, a Baptist clergyman, who preached in Waterville, Me. She was the mother of five children, four sons and one daughter, who survive her, except one son who was killed in the late war. Mr. Kimball died in the prime of his manhood, and she laid his body to rest in the cemetery at Aurora. With great cost and many sacrifices, but with cheerfulness and devotion to the cause of her Master and love for her little ones, she kept her family together, leading them into the paths of industry and nobility of character as best she could. In 1843, she married for her second husband Edward Beal, who died July, 1861. Since that time she has lived with her only daughter, Mrs. Ellis Young, where she has been tenderly cared for, and the pathway to the grave strewed with many a flower by a loving daughter's hand. Though weighed down with great weakness at the last, she persisted on being dressed and remaining with the family, until a few days before her death, when she yielded to the entreaty of her daughter and rested. The throes of the engine ceased, and she passed on to meet those who had gone before. Her life was long and useful, and her declining years were made pleasant by every attention which kindness and affection could bestow. She was buried in Morgan's Bay cemetery in the beautiful family lot of Capt. Ellis Young. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. D. B. Phelan of Surry.

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Stocks and bonds owned by the company (market value),	4,517,508 00
Loans secured by collaterals,	193,250 00
Cash in the company's principal office and in banks,	506,000 09
Interest due and accrued and other obligations,	197,223 93
Premiums in the course of collection,	634,168 19
Aggregate of all the admitted assets of the company at their actual value,	$8,776,350 87

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1889.

Net amount of unpaid losses and claims,	320,997 81
Amount required to safely re-insure all outstanding risks,	3,004,270 00
Total amount of liabilities, except capital stock and net surplus,	3,324,267 81
Capital actually paid up in cash,	3,000,000 00
Surplus beyond capital,	2,452,082 06
Aggregate amount of liabilities including net surplus,	$8,776,350 87

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Real estate owned by the company, unincumbered,	none
Loans on bond and mortgage, (first liens),	$85,000 00
Stocks and bonds owned by the company, (market value),	2,218,950 00
Loans secured by collaterals,	7,750 00
Cash in the company's principal office and in banks,	311,474 96
Interest due and accrued,	50,056 21
Premiums in the course of collection,	126,340 96
Due from other companies for re-insurance on losses already paid,	4,071 74
Aggregate of the admitted assets of the company at their actual value,	2,803,643 87

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1889.

Net amount of unpaid losses and claims,	119,948 67
Amount required to safely re-insure all outstanding risks,	596,626 60
All other demands against the company, viz.: commissions,	29,258 45
Total amount of liabilities except capital stock and net surplus,	1,046,833 72
Capital actually paid up in cash,	1,000,000 00
Surplus beyond capital,	756,810 15
Aggregate amount of liabilities including net surplus,	2,803,643 87

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United States, State and city Bonds, Market value,	$831,765 00
Real estate owned by Co., office building, in New York and Philadelphia,	43,634 70
Cash in bank, funds of trustees and office,	163,414 41
Premiums in course of collection,	155,056 24
Rents and interest accrued,	12,750 21
All other assets,	2,357 20
	$1,017,057 76

LIABILITIES.

Unpaid Losses,	$90,588 84
Re-insurance Reserve,	766,415 35
All other claims,	26,188 41
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Net surplus in the United States over all,	728,848 16
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Poem.

BY HON. HORATIO KING.
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Who shall tell in rhythmic measure
All the story of the war?
What became of untold treasure?
Who shall tell what it was for?

How the conflict, like no other,
Spread affliction far and wide;
Brother madly fighting brother,
Fiercely ranged on either side.

Oh, the wicked, fatal error
Of the rash resort to arms!
Filling every heart with terror—
Every day with war's alarms!

Now I mind me, when I started
On life's mission, long ago—
Only just from boyhood parted—
I beheld the signs of woe.

North and South I saw arising,
Plain before my trustful eyes,
Little clouds, not yet surprising,
On the face of tranquil skies.

True, to some they foretold danger,
Meagre as their forms appeared;
Not so to the passing stranger;
He saw nothing to be feared.

Nor was any early meeting
Thought at that time to impend,
Of these clouds portentous, fleeting,
Whereso'er their motion tend.

Peace and Plenty held their places,
Smiling on a happy land;
All serene their air, like Graces
Crowned with beauty, hand-in-hand.

Strange that at a time so cheering,
I should see in vivid dream,
Armies in the skies appearing,
Hostile in degree supreme.

What, I asked myself in wonder,
Does this startling vision show?
Is it this—in doubt I ponder—
Must we meet a foreign foe?

Seemed no cause for such collision,
All was quiet over sea;
What should add to a decision
In the matter, puzzled me.

But at length, the clouds expanding,
Move in angry aspect near—
Dark before each other standing,
Touching patriots' hearts with fear.

Look! what means this strange communion?
See! emblazoned on each cloud,
In letters bold, the word DISUNION!
All alarming, fierce, and loud!

Hark! what sound is that conspiring,
Rumbling, trembling, from afar?
'Tis from guns on Sumter firing!
Too in dread of civil war!

Oh! what act of direful madness!
Oh! the folly of the strife!
Oh! what cause of despair sadness!
Who shall save the nation's life?

Such was my first exclamation,
Standing near the helm of state;
Whence should come the declaration
That should my distress abate!

"To arms! to arms!" the cry went forth
From LINCOLN'S proud and lofty post.
"Wake! East, and West, and South, and North!
Spring, spring to arms, a mighty host!

"Our flag insulted, bids you come;
It calls for patriots strong and true;
March quickly, cheered by fife and drum,
The UNION, it must be preserved!"

As when the mighty river's banks
Are swollen by the sudden flood,
The people rushed to fill the ranks,
And in a solid phalanx stood.

The Nation's capital their aim,
They moved at once in grand array,
As line on serried line they came
Their noble Chieftain to obey.

A brief suspense, and then they start
To meet their bold and threatening foe;
Each man inflamed to do his part,
Nor any hardship to forego.

Now, soon is heard the clash of arms,
After the cannon's angry roar,
O'erwhelming all with war's alarms,
That spread, like fire, from door to door!

Too late! the fatal shot was fired
When aimed in hate at Sumter's shield;
Almost, alas! all hope expired
When patriots fell on battle field.

Too late! too late! the war goes on
In blood and carnage—oh, how long!
Until, at last, the RIGHT has won—
Until defeat o'erwhelms the WRONG.

Peace now resumed her rightful sway;
Those hateful clouds have disappeared;
DISUNION sank with them away,
And UNION her proud design reared

Flag of our free, united land,
Float on! float on! o'er sea and strand!
We greet thee, scan as we from home,
In foreign climes, wherever we roam,
With pride and satisfaction pure,
A shield and safeguard, strong and sure.
Float on! float on! no longer fear!
All hearts are with thee, far and near.
Float on! float on! from shore to shore!
Float on! float on! forevermore!

From our New York Fashion Correspondent.

NEW YORK FASHIONS.

SARATOGA STYLES—MORNING DRESSES—INDEPENDENT WAISTS — IMPORTED GOWNS—NEW NET AND LACES.

The growing prevalence of tucking as an ornamentation is very noticeable. Groups of fine tucks may alternate with wide or successive fine tucks may almost tire the eyesight by a long drawn out continuance. Plain China silk or mull is especially adapted to this finish and an imported dress of the first named material is tucked within a foot of the waist which shows a tucked yoke and sleeves. For morning wear simple white dresses are of linen, nainsook or fine cambric and although sometimes worn with sashes, yet it is easy to see that sashes have had their best day and unless in such handsome style that they cannot be relegated to a secondary position, are not liked so well as belts fastened by buckles. Some few tailor made dresses of white linen have appeared and also princess costumes of white duck which recall the material used for gentlemen's vests. White tailor suits are sometimes worn over a shirt front with masculine tie or a chemisette of shirred mull.

INDEPENDENT WAISTS

though not especially noticeable at this stylish resort have yet to some extent forced their way and deserve mention because of remarkable utility and comfort. The greater number are in blouse or shirt shape with tucks down the back and front and are made of soft silk, lawn, muslin or linen in patterns too varied for mention, the majority however showing stripes that are the safer choice for plump figures while a becoming abandon is imparted to thin persons by thin silk waists showing large circular spots in contrasting colors. In some waists, the fullness is drawn into the centre of the back and front but others show the fullness distributed evenly across and gathered in at the shoulders and belt. Some styles display the gathers drawn in closely at the back and front and spreading out in fan shape towards the shoulders and this is very popular. Close fitting basques of material quite different from the skirt have not lost favor and in an outfit for this place recently prepared by Lord & Taylor, there were three very handsome independent waists, one of yellow satin trimmed with black lace, one of black lace and a third of heliotrope silk trimmed with passementerie.

ELEGANT GOWNS

not yet shown but which are being reserved for the latter part of July, show some peculiar features. In one, the trimming is an applique embroidery made of plush and silk crochet work on crepe de chine, the flowers of plush with leaves and stalks in crochet, with fine crochet work around the plush. A trellis work of plush in cross-bars forms a support on which embroidered flowers clamber and the work being done in natural colors, one may imagine the beautiful effects. Fine bead work adds its glitter and completes the unusual picture. An equally elegant dress in a new shade of green silk is garnitured by velvet leaves in natural color, each leaf covered separately by crepe and in passing it may be remarked that the covering of leaves by crepe is a new feature which appears also on fans with very dressy result, some for evening being made entirely of crepe covered leaves.

NET DRESSES

are beautifully relieved by tufted flowers in natural colors and rival fine silk mulls stamped in floral patterns that resemble hand painting. The combination of yellow with black net or lace is much in vogue and may be accomplished by yellow ribbons or gold braid or passementerie. Other colors on black are also seen and colored ribbons placed under net in stripes or vandykes are very stylish. LUCY CARTER.

A Brief Harangue on Talking Slang.

This "sermonette" is especially for you, dear girls. The advice could be put in three words—*Don't do it.* Possibly there might come an occasion—say once in a lifetime—when a good round bit of the genuine article "slang" would prove funny. But to hear vulgar words used by a gentle girl is almost invariably shocking. I remember passing two girls in the street, and hearing one of them say, "I'll bet you a quarter." It gave me a shiver. And when a group of school-girls fill their conversation—as, alas! they often do—with one slang phrase after another, the effect on an outsider is painfully disagreeable.

The habit of talking slang grows rapidly. It is like reporting a bit of scandal. Have you never noticed if you say an unkind word against a neighbor, how quickly a chance comes to say another? And with just that same appalling ease a habit of using careless coarse words increases. Weeds grow rapidly.

There is plenty of good strong English to give expression to wit, drollery, indignation, or sympathy, without recourse to the phrases which belong to horse-jockeys, gamblers, tipplers, and vagabonds. The street Arab picks up slang as he does the ends of old cigars from the gutter. Surely a well-bred girl is not on the same level in her speech and manner. Why should she use vulgar words any more than she would stain her hands?

There ought to be something akin to flowers in a fresh young girl. She need not be prudish nor priggish. No one wishes her to say "prunes and prisms" to coax her lips into the proper curves. But refined and dainty in speech as well as in dress she surely ought to be. Won't you please think about it for five minutes, and see if you do not agree with me?—MARY S. McCONN, in *Harper's Young People.*

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Wyoming has been brought in by a strict party vote; every Republican Senator recorded in favor, every Democrat against it. It was a refreshing and inspiring spectacle to see Senators Edmunds, Sherman, Hawley and Ingalls voting for woman suffrage. We congratulate these statesmen on their manly and progressive attitude. We congratulate our country and the world that there is now one self-governing community, which stands squarely on the principle of the Declaration of Independence, and affirms that governments are just only when they rest on the consent of the governed.

Wyoming, the last and brightest star in the American constellation, contains ninety-eight thousand square miles. By its admission as a State, woman suffrage is firmly established over an area twelve times as large as Massachusetts, double that of New York or England, or about equal to both together. It is larger than Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland; greater than all Great Britain; three times the size of Ireland; larger than South Carolina and Florida; equal to North Carolina and Virginia; much larger than Kansas, Washington, or Utah; it exceeds the area of Italy or Hungary; it is three times the size of the great tropical islands, Cuba and Java; equal to all New Zealand; greater than any State of Mexico, and as large as the province of Ontario.

The Longest Day.

It is quite important when speaking of the longest day in the year, to say what part of the world we are talking about, as will be seen by reading the following list, which tells the length of the longest day in several places. How unfortunate are the children in Tornea, Finland, where Christmas Day is less than three hours in length.

At Stockholm, Sweden, it is eighteen and one-half hours in length.

At Spitzbergen, the longest day is three and one-half months.

At London, England, and Bremen, Prussia, the longest day has sixteen and one-half hours.

At Hamburg, in Germany, and Dantzic, in Prussia, the longest day has seventeen hours.

At Wardbury, Norway, the longest day lasts from May 21 to July 22, without interruption.

At St. Petersburg, Russia, and Tobolsk, Siberia, the longest day is nineteen hours, and the shortest five hours.

At Tornea, Finland, June 21 brings a day nearly twenty-two hours long and Christmas one less than three hours in length.

At New York, the longest day is about fifteen hours, and at Montreal, Canada, it is sixteen hours.

[For the Ellsworth American.]

Recipes.

NICE COOKIES.—One egg, one cup of molasses, one-half cup of sugar, one tablespoonful of vinegar, one teaspoonful of soda and a little salt; spice to suit the taste, and flour to roll soft.

FLOATING ISLANDS.—One quart of milk, the yolks of three eggs, a scant half cup of sugar, a little salt, and one tablespoonful of flour stirred in the milk when boiling hot; let it just boil, then pour into your dish; drop the beaten whites into hot water and lay on the top when cool.

SPLENDID CAKE.—One cup of butter, two of sugar, four of flour, one of water and four eggs. To the four cups of sifted flour, add one measure of Horsford's bread preparation or one teaspoonful of cream of tartar and half a teaspoonful of soda. Beat the butter and sugar to a cream, then add the beaten eggs, next the water; after adding the flour bake immediately. After the cake is ready for the oven sift over the pans dry sifted sugar, which gives the cake a meringue-like crust if the oven is not too hot. M.

—Fires of driftwood are one of the latest fashionable fads at afternoon teas. Bits of the driftwood are placed between the blazing logs of a wood fire. They make a flame of blue, green and violet; that is likely to change to other brilliant colors, and looks almost like a display of fire-works. The drawing rooms are very much darkened, the only other lights being from lamps turned low, and shaded candles. So popular have these fires become that iridescent fuel is advertised as a substitute for blue flame driftwood. Heretofore, says the advertisement, the colored flames have only been obtainable by breaking up old vessels whose timbers have been covered by copper acted on for many years by sea water.

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WHICH IS THE WISEST PLAN? What, ho! Invalid stranger! Stop! Ponder! Ask yourself this question: Which is the wisest plan? To expend your money in medicines for years, without any permanent benefit, or to place the case in the hands of specialists, who have made a specialty of the cure of a single disease for years, and who are supplied with all the new and valuable remedies, which are from time to time, prepared for the cure of that disease? Remember, prepared for you, not for everybody, but for you, for immediate use, by an only after receiving our examination papers.

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WHEREAS, Walter M. Young, of Ellsworth, Hancock County, Maine, by his mortgage deed, dated January fifth, 1888, and recorded in the Hancock County Registry of Deeds, in vol. 420, page 473, conveyed to me, the undersigned, Florence E. Drake, of Pittsfield, Maine, one-sixth part in common and undivided of a certain tract of land situated in Eden, in said county of Hancock, said one-sixth part being one-half of the interest in said tract of land that belonged to Monroe Young, late of Trenton, deceased, at the time of his decease having been conveyed by George A. Bunker and Eri L. Bunker to Monroe Young, George E. Norris and C. H. Norris by their deed dated Nov. 7th, A. D. 1872, and recorded in Hancock County Registry of Deeds, vol. 159, page 425 to which deed and the record thereof reference may be had for a particular description, excepting out of said parcel such parts as may have been conveyed by said Monroe Young, said one third part having been conveyed to the said Walter M. Young by the executors and trustees of the will of Monroe Young by their deed dated June 30th, A. D. 1883, and recorded in vol. 189, page 346, of the Hancock County Registry of Deeds; said deed although purporting to convey the whole of said tract in fact conveyed the interest therein which belonged to said Monroe Young at the time of his decease. Also one-sixth part in common and undivided of a tract of land conveyed by Eri L. Bunker to George E. Norris and C. H. Norris and to the executors and trustees of the estate of Monroe Young by his deed dated Dec. 9th, A. D. 1881, and recorded in Hancock County Registry of Deeds, in vol. 180, page 260; said last named one-sixth part being one half of the one-third part conveyed to the said Walter M. Young by the executors and trustees of the will of Monroe Young by their deed dated Dec. 31st, A. D. 1883, and recorded in the Hancock County Registry of Deeds; meaning and intending to convey and thereby conveying one-sixth part in common and undivided of said two tracts of land, reference being made to the above named deeds and the records thereof for the purpose of giving a description of the tracts conveyed and for the purpose of showing the source of the said Walter M. Young's title thereto; and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now, therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

FLORENCE E. DRAKE.
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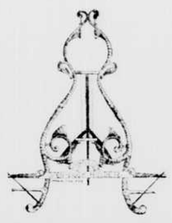

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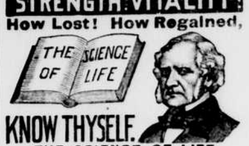

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Non-Resident Tax Notice.

Non-resident taxes in the town of Surry, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1889.

THE following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Surry, for the year 1889, in bills committed to M. M. Morgan, collector of said town on the 10th day of June, 1889, has been returned by him to me as remaining unpaid on the 12th day of April, 1890, by his certificate of that date and now remains unpaid and notice is hereby given that the said taxes and interest and charges are not paid into the treasury of the said town within eighteen months from the date of the commitment of the said bills so much of the real estate taxed as will be sufficient to pay the amount due therefor including interest and charges, will without further notice be sold at public auction at the Town Hall in said town, on the 16th day of December, 1890, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Names of non-resident owners or units and description of real estate	Value of real estate	Tax on real estate
C. J. Abb